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Noted American Author Shoots Himself To Death

G. O. P. NATIONAL CONVENTION OPENS AT 10 A. M.

Six Tarrant Prisoners Force Way To Freedom

McFarlane Dies In Coroner's Office Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Creeping unnoticed to a darkened hall way in the rear of the hall of justice, Peter Clark McFarlane, noted author, shot himself to death last night.

The faint light shining through a glazed glass window in the door of the coroners office, directly opposite, fell upon the novelists body, which was discovered by a policeman.

McFarlane left a letter, telling of his fears of increasing mental deficiency. He believed diabetes was impairing his faculties.

50-50 Battle Is On With Ladies All Determined

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—The midnight oil burned fleetly in the women's camps at the National Republican convention last night.

And today they had smoked out the political cave men.

For all day long and far into the night Republican women marshalled their forces for the greatest offensive movement that the party has yet known.

The 50-50 battle is on and there is only one outcome—for women.

They'll get it, they say, if they have to send the men back home, but the question is how.

Complete election of the rules committee will not be made until late Tuesday when the last of the state delegations hold their meetings but the women are confident that they have fixed that all right.

For days prominent Republican women have been calling on state delegations, dealing with Senators and dining with Governors, but never were tea table politics more poignant. Chatter of the power of the women's vote back home flowed with small talk and music—but always it flowed.

If tactics of this sort do not bring the rules committee to a quick decision and women are still denied equal representation on the National committees, they are prepared to take the fight to the floor of the convention.

Patronage, the women claim, is the real cause for the opposition they are getting from the men of their party. They are not willing to share this fight with the fair politicians.

By-standers at convention headquarters would say, however, that the men have bitten off more than they can chew. For a stamp of the foot from the vivacious Mrs. Medill McCormick, or the snapping eyes of Mrs. Chas. Sabin may not mean much in family circles, but—

The women are pinning their faith on these coupled with the inevitable flow of talk—think of the women's votes back home.

ROTARY WORKING ON "KNOT HOLE CLUB"

The Mexia Rotary Club is at work now in behalf of the Knot Hole Club. The plan adopted last year was that each boy who attended Sunday School the Sunday preceding the game at Nowlin Park was admitted for ten cents. The same plan is favored this year. President Hardy Eubanks of the Rotary club last week appointed a Knot Hole committee of three Rotarians.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy, probably local thunderstorms in north this afternoon or tonight; cooler tonight in northwest.

West Texas—Tonight and Wednesday cloudy.

LINK MILLIONAIRE MURDERERS WITH OTHER CRIMES.



CHARLES REAM, CHICAGO TAXICAB DRIVER, WHO WAS KIDNAPED BY TWO ARMED MEN ON NOVEMBER 20, 1923, TAKEN TO THE OUTSKIRTS OF CHICAGO AND MURDERED BY A GANG OF KIDNAPERS. REAM WAS PARTIALLY IDENTIFIED AS ONE OF THE KIDNAPERS OF ROBERT FRANKS, AS ONE OF HIS KIDNAPERS, AND HAS PARTIALLY IDENTIFIED NATHAN E. LEOPOLD, JR., THE OTHER SLAYER, AS THE OTHER. AT THE SAME TIME, THE POLICE SOUGHT TO LINK THE SONS OF MILLIONAIRE FAMILIES WITH THE SLAYING OF FREEMAN LOUIS TRACY, UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO STUDENT, WHO ACCEPTED A LIFT FROM TWO MEN IN THE NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 25, 1923, AND WAS SHOT TO DEATH AND THROWN FROM THE SPEEDING CAR.

CONCLAVE OPENS WITH ALL SET FOR QUIET SESSION

By ROBERT J. BENDER

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—With quite precision, Republican hosts formally opened their convention today, aimed to name Calvin Coolidge their presidential nominee on the 50th anniversary of the G. O. P.

Every detail of the great convocation had been worked out in advance. Street cleaners were even up all night washing the pavements that nothing might mar the eye of delegates or visitors along the thoroughfare to a convention, which, in turn, had been made proof against bluish or jar.

A joyful sun greeted the sleep-and-quiet-tone delegates as they awakened this morning to answer the call to duty and oratory, set for 11 o'clock. Long before the hour for the gavel to fall crowds were gathered at all entrances of the huge auditorium bent upon getting a glimpse of the opening proceedings. Reasons for the early rush were two—the prayer of Bishop W. F. Anderson—was one of the only two things not prearranged to be trouble-proof (the other thing being the vice presidency) and the first day promised the only day of full attendance because many delegates already are releasing their hotel reservations for the week.

Doors to the convention were opened to ticket holders at 9 a. m. At 10 o'clock the first real noise and color of the convention broke out in a parade of Naval Reserves through the downtown district. John Adams, retiring chairman of the Republican National Committee was scheduled to call the convention to order promptly at 11 a. m.

The greatest activity of the delegates, up to a late hour last night and continuing up to the hour of formally assembling today, centered on selection of a vice presidential candidate. When Adams' gavel swung, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover ranked a slight favorite over the field and it appeared likely that the next 48 hours would find President Coolidge faced with the necessity of indicating a choice in order to effect an acceptance. It had been repeatedly stated by friends of the president that he preferred either Senator Borah, former Governor Frank O. Lowden or Secretary Hoover.

Chairman John T. Adams, at the opening of the Republican National convention said:

"This is the 18th Republican National convention.

"It is only sixty years since Lincoln

THE WORLD IN TABLOID

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Former Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty has passed as an important factor in the Ohio Republican organization.

His candidate for National committeeman, Louis F. Brush, publisher of the late president Harding's Marion Star, was defeated by Maurice Maschke, Cuyahoga county leader when the state delegation organized last night. The vote was 27 to 24.

PEKIN, June 10.—Carl Beck and George Snyder, missionaries attached to the Reformed Church which has its headquarters in Philadelphia, were wounded during a fight between local troops at Shen Chow Fu, June 3, it was learned today. Neither was seriously hurt.

CHICAGO.—A resolution urging the Internal Revenue Department and the Prohibition Division to liberalize the rule on the distribution of alcohol and "medicinal alcoholic liquor" to physicians before the house of delegates of the American Medical Association convention. The resolution declares that alcohol is a necessary drug.

AUSTIN, Texas, June 10.—Texas did not lose one acre of tillable soil and gained title to additional land on which are many valuable oil wells, according to Attorney General Keeling, commenting on the Supreme Court decision in the Red River boundary dispute in the Big Bend section.

HOUSTON, Texas, June 10.—Thomas Wharton, Dallas youth, is being sued for \$15,000 damages by Misses Anna Mims and Ethel Odell. The girls were with Wharton and Clifford Reinlander when their car overturned a few weeks ago. Wharton is facing charges of driving while intoxicated. Both of the girls allege permanent injuries.

was president. In that brief period, our country has enjoyed the greatest moral and material advancement in all history.

"This has been brought about largely under Republican rule. And at no time have the problems of Government been more wisely and effectively met than during the last three years.

"Our party has always stood for constructive progress. It has always endeavored to promote the welfare of the average man. It has always adhered to America's best traditions, both in domestic and foreign affairs.

"We are here, now, to pledge a new faith in American institutions, and to name the next president and vice president of the United States.

Kenyon Is Now Mentioned As Mate For Coolidge

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—The republican national convention opened at 11:03 o'clock this morning when Chairman Adams of the national committee called the delegates and some 13,000 visitors to order. Following a band selection Bishop Anderson of the Methodist Episcopal church gave the opening prayer. "Moral courage, definite and aggressive leadership," he declared must be part of governments Motion pictures were taken. Indications before the convention are that an attempt will be made to read La Follette and his supporters out of the party. This promises to cause a blast that will raise the lid off the convention roof. It is understood that Lowden has declared that he would not accept the vice presidency. Some delegates are talking of Judge William S. Kenyon, former Iowa Senator, for the place.

After electing temporary officers and appointing committees, the convention adjourned until 10:30 Wednesday morning. The only thing uncertain is the race for vice president. The rest is merely a routine matter of nominating Coolidge, which will be Thursday.

By ROBERT J. BENDER (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CONVENTION HALL, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—Declaring that most citizens now look "to President Coolidge," rather than Congress for leadership, Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio today called for re-election of the President and a majority in the next Congress, made up of Republicans, "tried and true," who will stand united.

It was the keynote speech of the G. O. P. for the convention and the coming campaign. It left upon the minds of the thousands—delegates and guests—who crowded the huge hall, this unmistakable impress:

Under the leadership of Calvin Coolidge the Republican party must stand or fall on conservative administration of Government unhampered by "blooms," and maintained by "party solidarity and in organization whose members unite in closed formation to do battle to every foe."

Interesting and informative as was Burton's review of the Republican administration's accomplishments, the real sensation of the address came when he adjusted his range on Congress, House and Senate action on the immigration, tax and bonus bills, the scandal investigations and "blooms" action of different sorts, all came in for criticism or warning.

By implication, at least, Burton denounced the Lodge and Pepper World Court proposals as being unsatisfactory to the President.

"Let me earnestly recommend participation in the World Court now functioning at The Hague," he said. "This court is essentially an American idea and more than that, a Republican idea. It must be remembered also that fifty-four nations are members of the league, and most of them have adhered to the separate protocol for the court."

Among other points of difference between the White House and Congress Burton mentioned the recent immigration law.

"While limitation and selection of immigrants," he said, was needed because our "melting pot has boiled over," it is "to be regretted that Congress refused the request of the President for further negotiation with Japan."

With assurances that new or increased taxes are not probable, Burton added, however, that "the recent revenue law is not the last word." He criticized those who counsel that "excessive surtaxes are desirable and result in larger revenue."

"The demagogue may say to the unthinking, 'see how we are taxing the rich,' and then in a soft voice

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CHIEF FIGURES IN DAY'S NEWS.



FRED W. UPHAM, PAUL PAINLEVE, THOMAS J. WALSH, JAMES LUCEY.

James Lucey, of Northampton, Mass., cobbler-philosopher, to whom President Coolidge wrote, when he entered the White House, "if it had not been for you I would not be here," laid down his last long enough to attend the Republican National Convention in Cleveland to see his friend nominated for the Presidency. Fred W. Upham, for 20 years treasurer of the Republican National Committee, has resigned, owing to ill health. Mr. Paul Painleve has been elected President of the new French Chamber of Deputies. U. S. Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, is being prominently mentioned as permanent chairman of the Democratic National Convention, which meets in New York.

Going To Grandma's Little Girl Is Killed By An Automobile

DALLAS, Texas, June 10.—Aline Greenwood, 7, was instantly killed when she was struck by an automobile as she was crossing a street.

A negro chauffeur is being held in connection with the killing. Two other children with her were unhurt. All were enroute to visit their grandmother.

NEW DIRECTORY OF C. OF C. IS NAMED FOR MEXIA

The Chamber of Commerce met in business session at the Hurdleston Hotel Monday night at 8:15. The meeting was characterized by speed, the business of the occasion being dispatched and a motion to adjourn was in order in 40 minutes after L. S. Patterson, Vice President, had called the meeting to order. He served as chairman in the absence of President John Sweat who was out of town.

The meeting being called for the purpose of electing the Board of Directors for the ensuing year, Mr. Patterson immediately placed this business before the session.

J. I. Riddle, F. W. Welch and Roy Bass were named as a nominating committee. W. W. Barnett offered a motion that the directory be limited to thirteen members. This motion carried. On motion of J. K. Hughes, seconded by Dr. R. B. Jackson, it was decided that any member of the Board who is absent from three meetings while in the city shall be automatically dropped and the Board shall have the power to appoint another in his place.

The nominating committee submitted the following names to be voted

HONG KONG.—America's round the world airmen took off from Hong Kong and flew to Haiphong in French Indo China today.

The distance is approximately 500 miles.

Darring Escape Made From Tarrant Co. Jail

FT. WORTH, Texas, June 10.—Two of the six prisoners who escaped, Walter Hale and Jack Hairy, were arrested as they came out of a small grocery store shortly before noon.

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 10. After sawing their way through the bars, binding and gagging the jailer, E. M. James, six prisoners escaped early this morning from the Tarrant county jail. Before leaving they offered freedom to 32 other prisoners who refused to take advantage of the offer. Search is on for the escaped men, all of whom were held on charges of robbery.

CHICAGO YOUTHS TO PLEAD NOT GUILTY IN COURTS

By EDWARD C. DEER (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CHICAGO, June 10.—Determined that insanity shall not be used as a gateway from the gallows, Rebt. E. Crowe, State's Attorney, today pieced together a chain of evidence designed to prove the sanity of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, college graduates and scions of wealthy families, who confessed to kidnaping and killing Robert Franks, 14-year-old school boy.

Crowe questioned many University of Chicago students, class mates of the prisoners. He said he intended to show that the youths are absolutely sane, that they knew the difference between right and wrong; fully realized the penalty for the crime, and committed it after long deliberation and careful planning.

Tomorrow Leopold and Loeb will appear for arraignment on charges of kidnaping and murder. They will plead not guilty.

Crowe, will take personal charge of the state's case at the trial. It will be his first official court appearance in eight years.

Crop Condition Reported Worse In United States

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Crop conditions are worse than at any time in the past twelve years, the Agricultural Department declared. In some states the condition is serious. Bad weather is responsible. East of the Rockies May was the coldest May in thirty years.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NEXT MONDAY

In making the call for the meeting of the Democratic Executive on the 16th, we stated Tuesday when it should have been Monday. This meeting is to be held next Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the Court House in Groesbeck and every Precinct Chairman is urged to be present.

E. A. ALLEN, County Chairman.

ALL DAY PICNIC PLANNED BY METHODIST LADIES

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will hold its annual "all day picnic" at the Reunion Grounds Thursday, June 18. They will have as their invited guests the Grosbeck Women's Missionary Society and all ladies who are members of the Methodist church in Mexia. Great plans are being made for that day. Funny stunts will be pulled but that's a secret. You will have to come to find it out. Be sure to be there on time at 11 o'clock Thursday morning, June 18th, at the Reunion Grounds. If you are a lady member of the First Methodist church in Mexia, you are cordially invited to come. If you have no way to go, call Mrs. Geo. Peyton, Phone 217, and a car will come for you.

INGRATITUDE

To the local man of optics, who made glasses of the best, came a young and beautiful maiden, on a strange, "I'm in trouble very deep. People say your fame is spreading, people wear the glasses you make, you are known from New York to San Francisco and from Brownsville to Chicago."

"I've a lover who's a dandy, he has yards and yards of pelf, while I am poor but honest with not a single bit of wealth. I am sure George loves me dearly, but he's jealous, that I know. He feels sure that I am flirting, he has often told me so."

"You see my right lid wobbles, it surely has the winks. It makes me seem a common flirt, so at least, my sweetheart thinks. Now are there glasses, do you know of any way, to keep that lid from flirting, make it stop getting gay?"

The wise old optician, his attitude was grave. "I shall build for you some glasses that will make that lid behave. You are indeed too young and pretty," and the optician heaved a sigh, "to lose your handsome lover, on account of one fresh eye."

Months flew by and then the winter came with cold and shivery gales; at his cozy office window, the optician waited for his lady. Down the street there strolled a couple, the lady's coat was made of mink, as she glanced up at the optician, her right eye gave a wink.

"I guess it's retribution," thought the optician in disgust. "I helped her look her George now the girl don't give a hoot. Next time a pretty maiden comes to me with a fortune tale, I'll hold on to the glasses 'till she digs up all the kale."

COVER BIG MEET AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

For the next several days, The Mexia Daily News will carry complete stories of the activities of the Republican Convention which will open Tuesday in Cleveland, Ohio. The United Press, serving The Mexia Daily News, has some of the leading writers of America covering the big convention. The News will thus be able to present, through its splendid service, convention news while it is news, being first to tell the stories of the meeting to the Mexia territory.

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MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Now GEORGE F. BAKER, & DR. IGNAT SEIPER.
Now MRS. KATHERINE D. BENJAMIN & PRINCE RUPPRECHT

George F. Baker, multi-millionaire New York banker, has given \$5,000,000 for the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, where stress will be laid upon the teaching of business ethics. Ignatz Seiper, Austrian Chancellor, was shot down and seriously wounded in the Vienna railway station by Karl Jaworek, who then shot himself. During a celebration in Munich 30,000 Bavarian war veterans hailed ex-Crown Prince Rupprecht, former commander of a group of German armies, as their king. The ex-austrian Mrs. Katherine Doremus Benjamin, divorced wife of Park Benjamin, of New York City, brother-in-law of the late Enrico Caruso, once a leader in New York society, has had to abandon society for a \$20 a week job as a sewing girl. She recently had her husband jailed for failure to pay back alimony.

Johnson Decides On Vote of Four Circuit Members

(Waco Tribune)

The Texas association season will be split June 26 instead of June 19 as recently announced.

The above statement came from President A. B. Johnson's office at Marlin Monday afternoon. With the announcement President Johnson made the following statement:

"When President J. Doak Roberts of the Texas league, drew up the schedule, it was his idea to split the season June 19, and that was the date agreed upon by the owners at their annual meeting in Waco in March, but after careful investigation it has been disclosed that should the season be split following the games of June 19, only 59 contests would have been played in the first half and the teams would be forced to play 71 in the second half. By splitting the season following the games of June 26, 65 games will be played in the first half and 65 in the second. I immediately ordered a vote by mail, and the first four teams answering voted to split the season June 26. This assured the split for the latter date."

Marlin and Temple have two games scheduled for June 26, and due to the arrangement of the schedule the first game will count in the first half while the second game of the afternoon will be the first contest for both teams in the second half.

By giving the teams a week's more of play in the first half, the race has become more doubtful than ever. Mexia, which has been com-

ing along at a rapid clip for the last two weeks, must now be given serious consideration for the pennant, while only a hair has separated Martin, Waco and Corsicana for the past two weeks.

The Waco team will return home Tuesday after a 12-day trip which called for 14 games. Austin will be here for four games in three days beginning Saturday, two contests to be staged Sunday after which Mexia will be here June 17, 18 and 19. Waco then opens a series in Marlin, which might have an important bearing in the championship chase, two games being played in that city, the teams playing here June 22. Waco plays in Austin June 23, 24 and 25, and returns here to open another series with Mexia June 26.

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AT 82 MRS. WARREN FINDS HEALTH IN KARNAK

To be so crippled up with rheumatism and her vitality so wasted by other troubles that she had to be propped up with pillows, and then to find renewed health, by means of the sensational new medicine Karnak, is the remarkable experience reported by Mrs. E. E. Warren, 144 University Ave., San Antonio.

"I feel it my duty to let others know what this medicine has done for me," says Mrs. Warren. "For when it restored me so marvelously in spite of my eighty-two years, it will undoubtedly bring health to thousands of others if they will try it."

"I suffered day and night from rheumatism. I could not even dress myself and for days at a time was unable to walk a step. It was all over my body, in my limbs and ev-

erywhere. Nothing I ate agreed with me and I suffered so from bloating biliousness and indigestion after every meal that I frequently thought my time had come. I had to just stay in bed propped up on pillows, unable to get any ease or sleep."

"Karnak seemed to go right to the root of my troubles and I am now feeling as well and active as I did fifteen years ago. The rheumatism and other troubles are entirely gone. Karnak does much more than the newspapers say it will and I hope my experience will help others back to health."

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Coolidge Most Methodical Of All Executives

By A. L. BRADFORD

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—President Coolidge is one of the hardest working Presidents that ever occupied the White House, according to "old timers" at the Chief Executive's offices.

"If you notice, you always will find Mr. Coolidge's desk clean, as clean as a wiped-off slate," a White House attache of long service said. "President Coolidge is an indefatigable 'digger' in his work. When he is searching information on some subject, he never stops 'digging' until he gets it."

The late President Harding did a formidable amount of work, the old employees at the Presidential offices declare. Mr. Harding had been "in the saddle" for years in the handling of government business—as the result of his service in the Senate—and he knew what to do in the White House.

Mr. Coolidge's chief characteristic is to dispose of every piece of detail that comes to his desk in the executive office each day before going to the White House proper for the night, it is said. Of course, some decisions that depend on further developments must be held over.

"Many is the time I have seen former President Taft in the President's office, when he occupied the White House, look at a huge pile of papers on his desk and walk out, to attend to those matters later," chuckled the "old timer."

This old employee has been at the White House since the time of McKinley. He always was much impressed by the late President Roosevelt's methods of work. Roosevelt could read an ordinary book in an hour—and a large book in two hours—and after finishing it could describe minutely and analyze each salient point of the work, he said.

Many authors asked Roosevelt, when President, to read and criticize their manuscripts, and a room at the White House was filled with many thousands of books and pamphlets that were sent as complimentary copies to the former President.

Each time a President becomes ill, no matter how slight the indisposition, there is worry at the White House, for veterans of the executive office staff are coming to the conclusion that the job of President is becoming too big for any one man to handle. The deaths of both Mr.

Harding and Mr. Wilson were attributed to the burdens of the presidency.

"I remember, after the stroke that paralyzed Mr. Wilson, the doctors gave the strictest orders that no question whatsoever and no matter how pressing to be placed before President Wilson. Only three hours after those instructions from the doctors, a paper of such importance came from the State Department that it simply had to be put up to the President."

NOTICE

I have moved my millinery and dressmaking shop to my home and I am now selling hats at reduced prices. Mrs. Beny, 515 N. Sherman St. 8-7

TWO MILLION PIM- PLE VICTIMS SWEAR BY IT

Sounds like a big figure, and it is big. That many times during the year people go to their nearest store and ask for Black and White Ointment and Soap, because they have come to depend on them to keep their skin free from pimples, blotches, bumps, eczema, rash, tetter, "breaking out," etc.

You won't know what real happiness and fun is until you make yourself presentable, so to speak, to the people who want to associate only with those who are good to look at. Begin using Black and White Ointment and Soap and feel the thrills girls, women and men experience when they see their ugly skin clearing up, feeling smooth and looking lovely.

They are both economically priced, in liberal packages. The 50c size Ointment contains three times as much as the 25c size. All dealers have both Ointment and Soap.—(Adv.)

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Ford Car Number 10,000,000 Now On A Long Run

F. W. Welch of the Welch Motor Company stated today that with Ford car No. 10,000,000 now in service and making a transcontinental trip from New York to Chicago over the Lincoln highway, the man who enjoys figuring

can have a world of practice.

The other day one gifted gentleman worked out the tire problem. He figured that the 40 million tires used on the 10 million Fords, if stacked up would make a rubber column 2,000 miles high.

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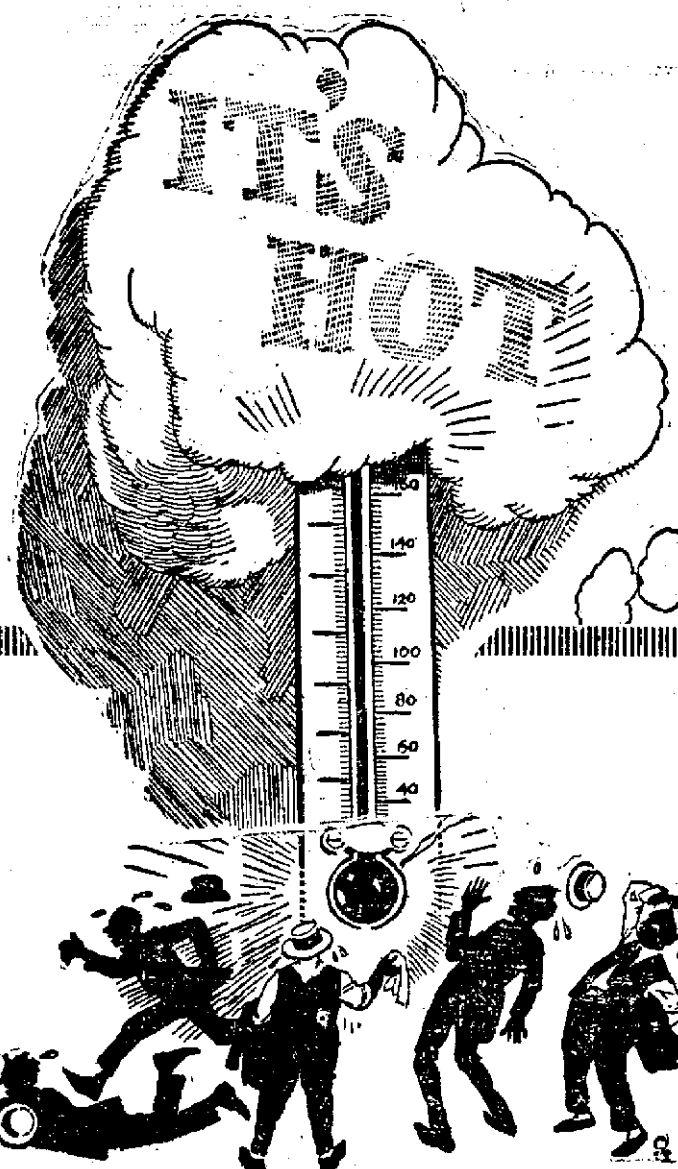
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Vogues In Foods Too, Says Fashion Writer



THERE are vogues in foods, as well as in clothes, according to Ruth Stuyvesant, author of the New York fashion writer. Who in the intervals of interpreting to her readers the vicissitudes of the mode, finds time to philosophize on culinary matters. "Take carrots, for instance," said Miss Stuyvesant, "submitting the action to the world. 'Have you noticed the sudden wave of popularity for this vegetable?' This is probably due to the enthusiasm of the beauty experts, from whose writings one gathers that it was and drop by spoonfuls into hot carrot and not an apple which, crisco, brains and grape leaf."

Burton Sounds Keynote Of Republican Politics

Chairman Adams, ladies and gentlemen, I greet this vast throng. I speak for the citizens of Cleveland, irrespective of party affiliations when I bid you a cordial welcome. The people of this city wish you Godspeed. They rejoice to receive you in their midst. They hope for success in your deliberations and for your pleasure and benefit while you stay. We are in the midst of the bustle and the rush, the dust and the smoke, of a busy industrial community, but the pure air of heaven is around and above us and a friendly spirit is everywhere.

It is appropriate that Republican National Convention should assemble in Ohio. Of the 11 of our party who have held the great office of President 7 have been natives of this Buckeye Commonwealth and 5 were elected from our midst. You will recall the names of Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Harrison, McKinley, Taft, and Harding. There is a special appropriateness in meeting in this city, for in this lesser area in which all roads lead to Cleveland there are memorials everywhere which speak for the achievements and tell of the leaders of the Nation.

Not far away are the resting places of Garfield, McKinley, Hayes, and Harding. The tomb of James A. Garfield and a monument to his memory are within the city limits. He was born on a barren farm in this county, and in rising step by step from lowly station to the highest executive position in the world none displayed more clearly than he the wonderful possibilities of American life. Lender in peace and war, he was the victim of the revengeful frenzy of a disappointed office seeker. If his worst enemy had contemplated such a frightful crime, he would have shrunk from it in horror and might have said after Jacobeth:

Besides this Garfield hath borne his faculties so meek, hath been So clear in his great office, that his virtues Will plead, like angles trumpet-tongued, against The deep damnation of his taking off."

McKinley, too, was stricken down in his splendid prime by one whose brain was reeking with the monstrosities of anarchy. How sorrowful the death of one whose name will be for ever associated with that captivating charm which compels admiration and love.

Almost equally pathetic was the death of Warren G. Harding, whose untiring labor made him a martyr to service and brought an early death quite as sad as that of the soldier who perishes with all his armor on. The exacting duties of his high office did not slacken his constant striving, though ill health and weakness hung threatening as a word above his head. A Nation bowed in grief mourned his death; the whole world mourned him as a lover of peace and good will. If ever he made those mistakes, which mortals must make, it was because of the kindness of his heart, because of a nobility of mind which thought of no ill of friend or foe but reposed trust in everyone.

If I might imitate and enlarge upon the words of a funeral eulogy uttered by a famous orator, it might be said of Harding that if all who have gained inspiration by listening to his eloquent words, everyone who has felt the warm grasp of his friendly hand, the many who received his sympathy in days of sorrow, were to plant a flower upon his grave, a tangled wilderness of flowers would surround his tomb; the snow white anemone, the blue violet, blue-some of golden hue or bright red, poppies like those from Flanders field would spread a garment of beauty all around. Rest, wearied spirit, rest in peace, secure in that lasting remembrance which belongs to the immortals.

This convention has one unique distinction which in itself will give it a most notable place in the history of party gatherings. This is the first time in national political convention that women have taken their place as delegates under a right of suffrage vouchsafed by the Federal Constitution. More than 400 are here as delegates and alternates, giving emphasis to this radical departure. You are welcome, thrice welcome here; welcome to the privileges and responsibilities, the triumphs and rewards, of participating in the control of this world's foremost democracy. In this later day when women's sphere has been so enlarged, when social questions have assumed such importance, and the aims of the government are more in terms of human welfare, the finer graces, the keen discrimination of women are needed in the body politic. I scarcely need remind you that of the 36 States which ratified the suffrage amendment at least three-fourths belong to the Republican column, and in the last presidential election all but three gave majorities for Harding. And now no nonchalant or superficial regard for this new duty will suffice, whether you favored suffrage or not. This convention relies upon your activities in the coming campaign.

Let us survey briefly the record of this Republican administration. The



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4th of March, 1921, witnessed a country still suffering from the results of the colossal world struggle; there was disaster upon the land. The war with its aftermath of reckless expenditure and feverish living had given place to a dull, hopeless inactivity. Here, as abroad, were industrial depression of armies of unemployed. Indeed, five millions were seeking work and finding none. Formal peace had not been established with the nations with which he had been at war. There was a chilling record of waste which spread its blighting influence over every form of administrative service. The demand of a new America had to be met with wisdom and patriotism.

It is fair to say that so long as the Democratic party continued in power after the war America's progress on the road to rehabilitation was hardly more satisfactory than that of the European countries. But when the Republican Party came in, reestablishing nation wide confidence that its time-tested capacity for constructive policies and administration were now at the country's service, there was immediate improvement. The Democrats could not even make peace. The Republicans did.

Scarcely half a year had passed when a turn was called. Workmen in multitudes returned to the shops, peace was proclaimed, and that stability which is the strength and life of a nation dwelt here in a measure not enjoyed in any other part of the earth. If there is now a slackening of activity it is due to uncertainties in our domestic policies, fiscal and other, and to the unsettled state of Europe; but the same guiding principles which brought us to a higher plane can sustain us still and open the door for a more splendid future.

For most in international affairs was the Conference for the Limitation of Armaments in the years of 1921 and 1922. That conference pointed the way to stop the mad race for naval expansion, provided a means of settlement for years to come of questions in and around the Pacific Ocean, placed the stamp of disapproval upon the submarine, the assassin of the sea, and upon the more terrible use of poisonous gas in warfare. It made the long-sought open door in China a reality, and gave to that most populous of all countries new grounds for hope and assurance of protection from foreign aggression. In the path that leads to peace no gathering has been more notable or more successful than which convened in our own Washington in an atmosphere of good will and international cooperation.

We may point not only to the disappearance of unemployment but to the great progress in the payment of our national debt. That debt, which amounted to nearly 24 billions on March 4, 1921, three years later had been reduced by much more than 2 billions.

I can review only briefly the beneficial legislation which has been enacted during the life of this administration, especially in its first two years.

At an early date the budget system was adopted, introducing order instead of confusion and competition in

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9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

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WAAW, 9, Program, Knights of Columbus.

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WCX, 9, Red Apple club.

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WLW, 9:30, Pumpkin Vine orchestra and vocal numbers.

WBAP, 9:30 to 10:45, Concert, Fort Worth Camp Fire Girls.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

KFSG, 10 to 12, Address; Swanee Jubilee Singers.

KHJ, 10 to 12, Special concert program.

KGO, 10, "A trip around the world," band and vocal music; vaudeville act.

KFI, 10 to 11, Coconut Grove orchestra.

WSB, 10:45, Biltmore Hotel orchestra.

11:00 to 12:00

WFAA, 11 to 12, Vocal recital.

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.

WDAR, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

demands for public expenditure, securing economy, and providing for the balancing of expenditures and revenue. Such a system had been the earnest and unanimous desire of all students of the subject for years. A law establishing it had been passed by a Republican Congress in the last year of the preceding administration, but it met with a Presidential veto. The budget in the first year of its operation resulted in a reduction of \$600,000,000 from the estimates of the spending departments. If there is any one thing which is desirable in our fiscal system, it is that we should stand firmly by the budget in the future.

A revenue bill was enacted in 1921 which lessened by over \$800,000,000 per year the taxes which should have been collected under the prior law. The revenue bill just passed, though abounding in defects, very materially diminishes the burdens of the people and partially or entirely does away with some of the more vexatious taxes.

A tariff act was passed adapted to the situation prevailing since the war and based upon the fundamental idea that our labor and our enterprises should not be handicapped by differences between foreign and domestic costs, but with no aim to promote monopoly or extortion, and with a very useful provision that in the event any rates prove to be lower or higher than they should be, the President by proclamation, on the advice of the Tariff Commission, can make necessary changes and adjustments. Contrary to the pessimistic forecasts confidently made by opponents of this measure, both exports and imports have very substantially increased since its passage. As a revenue measure it has amply justified itself, for the customs receipts in the year of 1923, amounting to the unprecedented sum of \$562,000,000, exceeded by those from any Democratic tariff ever written by more than \$200,000,000.

An act for funding of foreign debts was passed. These debts rested upon agreements or obligations hastily drawn in the stress of war and lacking

definite terms. Already England, for centuries proud of her credit, has executed bonds for \$4,600,000,000, on which interest is, for the third time, to be paid to-day. Payments have also been made upon principal. Bonds for much smaller amounts have been executed by Finland and Hungary, and it is hoped that other countries will make like settlements.

Comprehensive legislation has been adopted for the veterans of the late war, coordinating a great variety of conflicting and inharmonious methods and bureaus in the Veterans' Bureau. For the Soldiers of the late war who are suffering or in want, and for their dependents, we are and at all times must be ready to make provisions even to the last scruple in the Treasury.

There was a restoration of peace with Germany soon after the present administration took office and the way was paved for friendly relations with the countries with which we had been at war. Our participation in the great struggle was not prompted by any hatred of the enemy peoples but by the feeling that their rulers, in the overweening ambition, had led them astray. Against them—Germans, Austrians, Hungarians, all—we cherish no feeling of revenge, but welcome them back to the great family of nations, in the hope that after defeat and bitter loss they may enjoy the blessings of a new and better era.

We appropriated twenty millions for the starving in Russia, an act in which we may well take satisfaction, in that it was a declaration to the world that with abounding good we were ready to succor the suffering and the destitute, though living under a regime inimical to all the traditions of the Government. Our compassion for the helpless and the miserable is not restrained by differences of race or of form of government.

We have passed and the president has approved the so-called Rogers bill, placing our Diplomatic and Consular Service, with its rapidly increasing importance, on a higher plane and giving opportunities to others than millionaires to occupy the more important positions.

The construction of good roads has been aided and stimulated as never before, thus meeting the demand for improved conditions of communication and transit, especially with a view to the needs of the farming population. Reader means of access from community to community and from State to State have accomplished wonderful results.

Two immigration acts have been passed. While we recognize invaluable benefits to our country from the infusion of immigrants from other lands who have added variety and strength to our national life, we have come to realize that the number landing on our shores has been too large for pro-

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per assimilation. The so-called melting pot has boiled over. Therefore limitation and selection must be the order of the day.

It is to be regretted that in the passage of the recent bill the request of the President for time for further negotiation with Japan was refused. For that great nation, with which our relations with rare exceptions have been so friendly, we have no feelings but those of admiration and respect. The adoption of policies for the exclusion of Japanese immigrants by no means implies any claim of their inferiority, but rests upon essential differences, notably in standards of living which render them uncongenial to our industrial life. It is our fervent hope that this reason may be understood, and that these two nations on either side of the Pacific may banish all causes of friction or misunderstandings and of peace.

The Metropolitan hotel, situated west of the home of Mrs. John G. Phillips, Sr., which is owned by E. H. Buie, of Fort Worth, is being torn down for removal to Richland.

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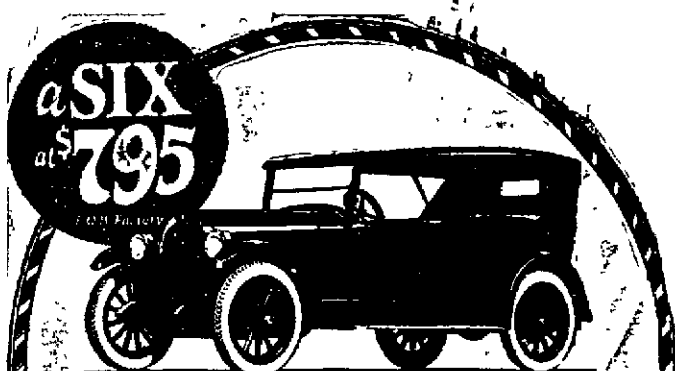


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Grand Master Urges Better Free Schools

Arthur S. Crites, Grand Master of Masons in California, in a bulletin calling upon all the Masonic Lodges of that state to observe Public Schools Week, declares:

It has not been by chance nor happy inspiration that my immediate predecessors as grand masters have taken up during their terms of office the task of calling attention of the Masons of this jurisdiction to the need of supporting the public school system of the state and nation. The question has forced itself upon public attention; has revealed itself as among the matters most vital to our democracy. The great institution of Freemasonry, which should be alert to all that is involved in good citizenship, can not remain inactive while such a question demands attention.

Until recent years it has been a boast of our people that the United States was an example for other nations in the educational opportunity offered freely to its children. With this went the conviction that nowhere else could be found such a low percentage of illiteracy. The tests of the world war and a consequent examination of census reports brought humiliation. We found that 5,000,000 illiterates were numbered among our population, representing, according to official explanation only those persons who have had no schooling whatever. Of these, 3,000,000 were American-born. In the draft it was found that one out of every four of military age examined could not write a letter home nor read a newspaper in English. Again, the census of 1920 showed that 1,437,000 children, from 7 to 13 years of age are not attending any kind of an educational institution. More than 1,000,000 children between the ages specified are classed as workers, forced by untoward circumstances or parental necessities or indifference, to forego all privilege of education. The knowledge of these things has silenced a former boastfulness and aroused a determination to correct the trouble and erase the blot from the nation's record.

In many communities indifference or penuriousness has affected the schools injuriously. It is stated on authority that during the past year some 50,000 teachers, with no further equipment than a common school training, were attempting the impossible task of properly preparing more than 1,000,000 children for the duties of life. To combat such inefficiency becomes a duty.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

Dallas Journal

Mark Sullivan, discussing vice presidential possibilities in connection with the hearing convention, shows convincingly that it is not easy to draft large caliber men into that office, because it offers no opportunity for the exercise of initiative or constructive force. Neither Hoover, Dawes nor Lowden—each mentioned as a desirable runningmate for Mr. Coolidge—could be influenced to accept the nomination for the reason already cited. Each has capacity to render a more important service, and it is easy to understand why none of these is willing to submit to a limitation of his capacity to serve.

The argument that a Vice President should be a kind of assistant to the President or “an assistant general manager of the administrative business of the country” as advanced by Mr. Sullivan, may not be new, but it still has force, and is made even more forceful by the changed conditions which the Republic faces.

Steps toward making the vice presidency a post of greater responsibility, and of real importance should be taken by both of the major parties in convention, and afterward. The trouble has been that a man who is big enough to be President has been needed to fill the office of Vice President, but that few men who are that big

could be persuaded to take the office. That handicap should be lifted for the good of the Nation. One final consideration, and an urgent one, is that the modern pace is killing our Presidents and that the burden of responsibility and the pressure of so many exacting duties should be lifted and lessened. This is a good year in which to attempt that.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 10.—Foreign exchange opened lower. Demand sterling \$120 5-8 francs .0501 1-2; Live gold \$111; Belgians .0410; Marks 4.210-4.210 to the dollar.

Miss Aileen Tittle, a graduate of the 1935-36 session of the Mexia High School, is in Austin, in attendance upon the summer session of the State University.

Mr. E. Eberstein has returned to Mexia after a five week trip through the north, visiting St. Louis and Chicago.

Mrs. R. L. Vickers of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fay Hamm of this city.

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PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY



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ASKS BUSINESS METHODS IN CARING FOR WARDS

LOS ANGELES, Calif., June 10.—(United Press.)—Better business methods in conducting the affairs of the orphanages, the old people's homes, the prisons, etc., of the nation were demanded today by Julia K. Jaffray, New York City, before the Federation of Women's Clubs. The speaker is the chairman of the committee on institutional relations of the federation. The speaker in part said: “Government housekeeping is the housekeeping for the half million wards of the state and the sixty thousand persons employed to care for them. Who comprise the State's family? The sick, the homeless children in our orphanages, the old people in the workhouses and homes, the insane, the feeble-minded and the men, women and children in jails, lockups, prisons, reformatories and reform schools—a family, which has reached such great proportions that it cannot safely be left to the tender mercies of the jovial happy-go-lucky politicians, nor yet the scheming, grafting political henchman. The burdens on the taxpayers are so great that from every section of the country comes the demand for honest and economical expenditure of the money appropriated

for state wards.

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“The next step is to standardize the commodities purchased by the state. The next step is for states and zones to combine orders. This is carrying over the war industries board plan of large quantity purchase. There is an appreciable discount attendant upon large orders.

“The final step is to make the state wards contribute to their own support. Dr. Ellen Potter, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare urges that the insane, the feeble-minded and even the old people should produce commodities which will help towards their self-support.

“The National Committee on Prison and Prison Labor states that when the sick and mentally disabled are removed from the prison population, there is no reason why prisons should

Pershing Way Is Turned Over To Limestone County

Commissioner John Kennedy of this precinct of Limestone County, stated today that he had been holding conferences with the Pure Oil Company officials for some time in regard to

not become self-supporting. A plan for the allocation of prison industries to the different states is being worked out.

“The development of prison industries necessitates wages for prisoners—and this means that prisoners can pay back their board to the state—good housekeeping from the taxpayers viewpoint. It also means support for the prisoners' families.”

the upkeep of the Pershing Way. Since this road, between the X-All Highway and the Reunion Grounds was a private road, the county could not look after its maintenance and improvement. The Humphreys Oil Company spent \$50,000 or more in laying the foundation of and building the road, but since constructed little attention has been given to its proper maintenance. Used by the public, it was a wise move to have this property transferred to the county, say citizens consulted about the project. The Pure Oil Company recently decided to turn the road over to the county and in a few days it is expected that the work of improvement on the strip may be begun.

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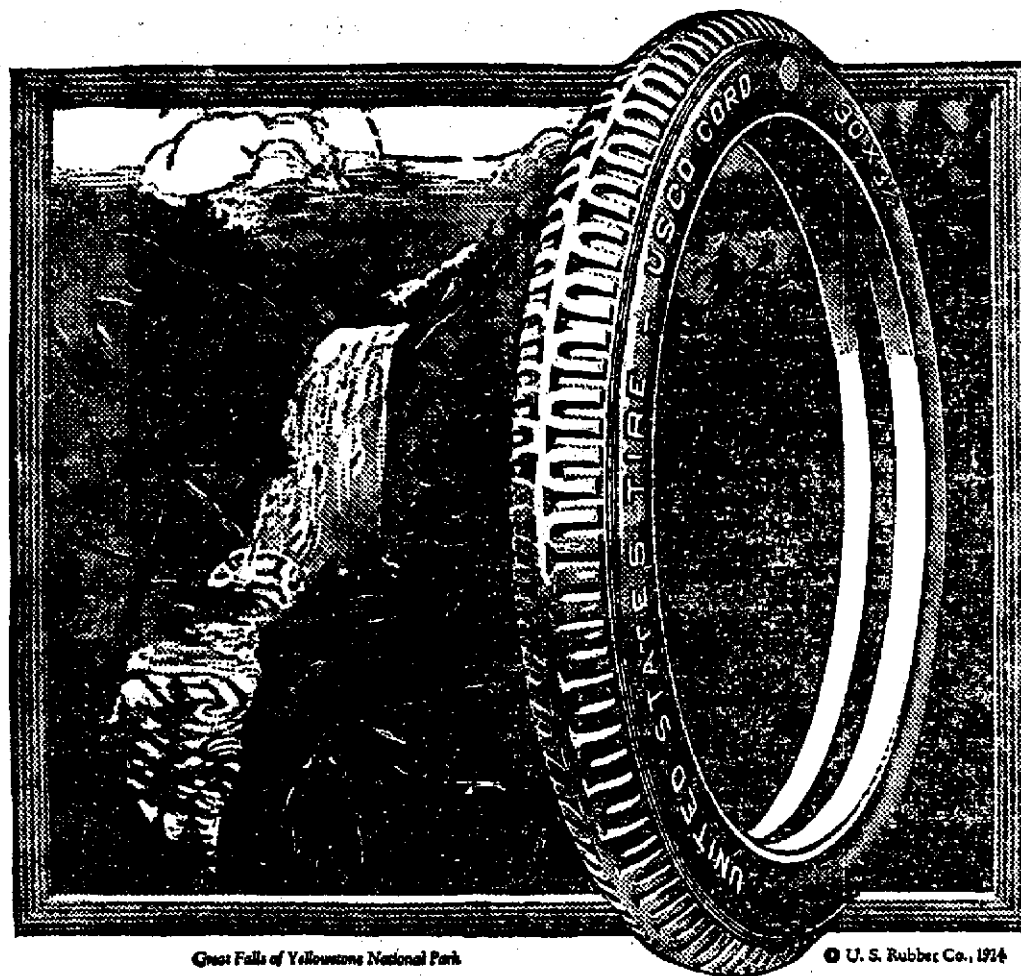
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CLEVELAND, June 10.—(United Press).—The career of Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, one of the Vice-presidential possibilities before the Republican National Convention, could furnish for young men seeking to learn rules for success any number of hints and lectures on how to be successful in a sale of valuable taxes.

Some might say Capper got his start by being born in Kansas; others, placing less importance upon geography, might lay his success to the fact that as a young man he learned the printer's trade, and not a few could be found to tell you he put his foot on the ladder of material prosperity when he became a reporter on the Topeka Daily Capital, which he now owns. Possibly Manhattanites might credit it to the fact that he was a reporter on a New York newspaper for a while. He was a Washington correspondent, also; that might have had something to do with it.

But the real secret, the most competent observers agree, lies in a little sentence in Capper's autobiography as set out in the Congressional directory. It is this:

"In 1893, started in business for himself."

Ever since then, Arthur Capper has been in business for himself, and he has made his boss a great deal of money and not a little renown.

Capper was born in Garnett, Kansas, July 14, 1865, and went to grade and high school there. He took his first job as printer's devil on the Garnett Journal, and there, after they had sent him across the street for a paperstretcher and a left-handed monkey wrench and otherwise properly hazed him, the printers taught him their trade. In 1884, Capper felt well enough equipped to hunt a bigger puddle, so he went to Topeka, getting a place as typesetter on the Capital. Then he went into the editorial room as a reporter, and became city editor, and as stated before, now he owns the sheet.

From Topeka he adventured into New York and Washington journalism, and selected Washington as the city to come back to. When Capper decided to work for himself, he bought the North Topeka Mail, a weekly. From then on, it was just a question of when he was going to buy another paper, for he succeeded right from the start, and now owns several daily newspapers and a string of prosperous farm weeklies in half a dozen states.

Capper had poor luck in his first venture into politics for the party split caused his defeat in 1912 for the governorship. But he came back strong in 1914 and was elected, and made it a double in 1916. Two years later the state sent him to the senate.

Lanky and awkward, Capper looks and acts little like the successful politician. He seems like a timid soul, afraid to raise his voice in public, but he belies his looks. Possessing little oratorical grace, he can, and does, write powerfully, and through this medium of self expression he has "put himself over" with the people of Kansas.

He has a thorough acquaintance with the farmer and his problems, as the editor of successful farm papers must. He knows finance, also as the publisher of a string of newspapers must. He has been active as a senator, in the work of the farm bloc, but has stayed pretty close to the administration on all major questions.

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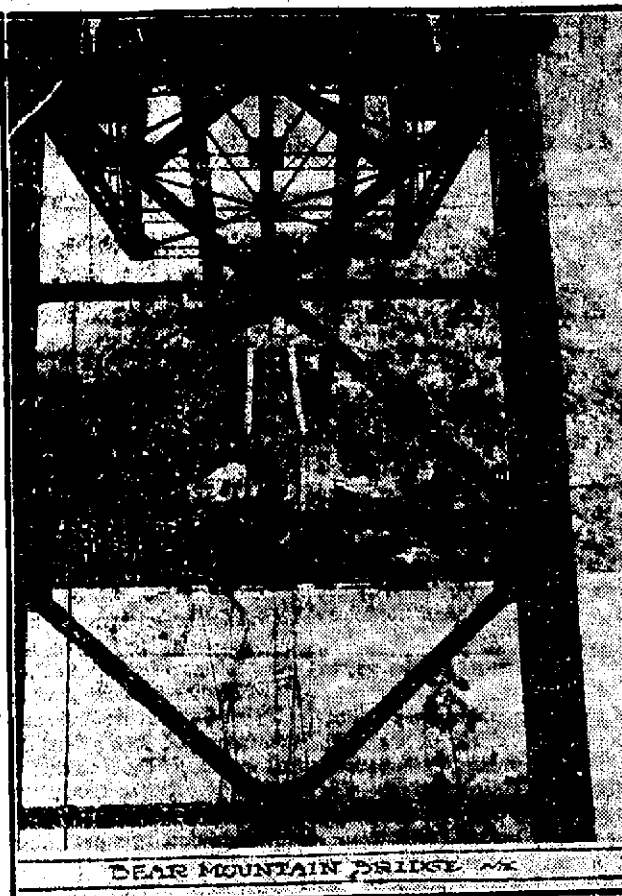
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NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission, thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of

the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia,

and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the fram-

ing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION" and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter, and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,

Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:
E. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis

J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
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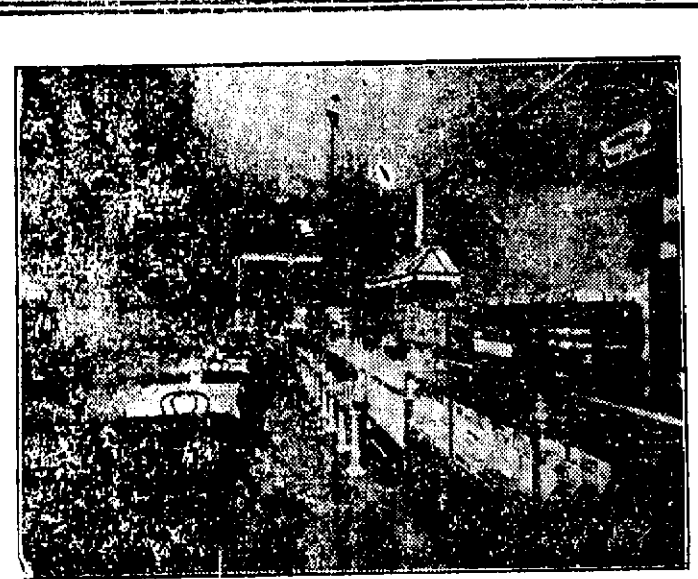
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CORSICANA OILERS WIN OVER MEXIA GUSHERS MONDAY

BIG CROWD SEES OILERS WALK AWAY WITH GAME

By HECK

Bases on balls came into their own at Nowlin Park Monday when the Corsicana Oilers beat the Gushers, 4 to 1 in a well played game that was so slow that it lagged painfully at the finish and became almost tiresome. Carl Hill and Davy Crockett hooked up in a battle and the big Oiler behemoth came out the winner due to Carl's generous nature in handing the Vannites bases on balls just before they made their few hits. Carl issued three free trips and all of them turned into runs while the pass Crockett issued Fowlkes made the only Gusher tally of the game. Crockett had plenty and was wild enough to be effective and was in danger but twice—the first and seventh frames being very effective in the balance.

The Oilers tallied in the first frame when Carl passed Etheridge to open hostilities. Grubb sacrificed. Thornton hit a double to right center counting Etheridge. The Gushers tallied their only count in the first frame when Fowlkes was passed after Geppert's out. Crockett threw out Harding. Butler worked. Jones singled to center for the scoring of the skipper. Etheridge was again passed in the third, stole second and scored on Grubb's single. Another was added in the sixth after two were out on hits by Brown and Barrett and Jones wild heave of Malmquist's roller. A pass to Brown and Barrett's double counted the Oilers' last run in the eighth.

Malmquist for the Oilers and Hill for the Gushers did the only real flashy work on the infield. The Oiler second-sacker being especially worth mention and the old boy sure covered odds of ground out there Monday. Corsicana again today for the final game of the present series after which the Gushers leave for a few days.

Corsicana	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge 1 f	3	2	0	2	0	0
Grubb 3 b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Thornton 1 b	4	0	1	12	0	0
Brown c f	3	2	1	4	1	0
Barrett r f	3	0	2	1	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	4	0	0	1	7	0
Sain s s	4	0	0	1	1	0
Vann c f	4	0	2	3	0	0
Crockett p	3	0	0	1	3	0
Totals	30	4	7	27	15	1

Mexia—

Geppert s s	4	0	1	0	5	0
Fowlkes c	3	1	0	1	6	0
Harding 1 b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Butler 1 f	3	0	0	3	1	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	2	0	3	1
Heving r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Bryan c f	3	0	0	3	1	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	1	5	3	0
Hill p	3	0	0	0	6	0
Totals	31	1	4	27	19	1

Corsicana.....101 0001 010—1
Mexia.....100 000 000—0

Two-base hits—Thornton, Barrett, Stolen bases—Etheridge and Brown. Strike outs—By Crockett 3; Hill 1. Bases on balls—Off Crockett 2; Hill 3. Hit batsman—Hill 1. Double plays—Geppert to Leedy to Harding; outler to Leedy. Sacrifice hits—Grubb, Crockett. Time—1 hour and 10 minutes. Umpire—O'Hearne.

MATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero—Wilson, that'll all. The Giants' sub suttler leaped against a fast one in the 7th, his triple clearing the bases and winning for the McGraw tribe from Pittsburgh 6 to 1.

Red Sox climbed into first place beating Chicago 5 to 1.

The Yanks lost the league lead when they lost to the Browns 5 to 3.

The Tigers beat the Athletics 5 to 3.

Cleveland beat the Senators 6 to 1.

The Phillies beat the Reds 4 to 2.

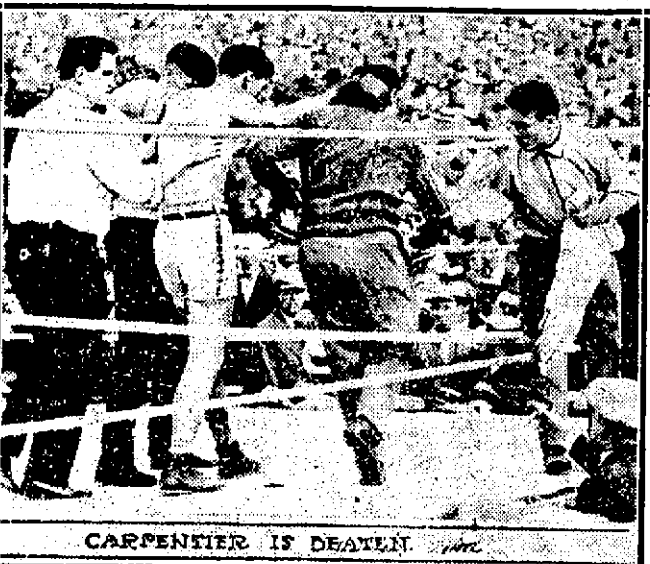
Errors helped the Braves beat the Cards 4 to 2.

The Dodgers beat Chicago 4 to 3.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—President Coolidge does not contemplate calling an extra session of congress in spite of the difficulties caused the administration by the failure of the deficiency bill and other important measures in congress. He does not believe the failure of naval construction and modernization bill will affect the plan to call another arms limitation conference as was feared.

Patronizing home institutions of all kinds is being fair to those from whose patronage you expect to profit.

GIBBONS DEFEATS GEORGES CARPENTIER.



Georges Carpentier, idol of France, is shown being assisted back to his corner at the end of the tenth round of his fight with Tommy Gibbons, in Michigan City, Ind., which Gibbons won decisively. Carpentier injured his ankle in the ninth round, but managed to last through the fight without a knockout.

MITCHELL HURLS CREDITABLE GAME BUT SUPPORT BAD

AUSTIN, June 10.—John Mitchell whose 10-day suspension was lifted yesterday, went to the mound for the Waco Indians Monday and the curve artist pitched brilliant enough to win the ordinary game, walking only two men and allowing only five hits, but long George Scott, was at the very top of his form and not only blanked the Waco team, but turned the locals back with only one hit. That hit did not come until the seventh inning when Strickland hit a clean blow to right field, the final score being Austin 4, Waco 0.

And with the defeat the Indians stepped down from the top rung of the ladder into a tie with Marlin for second place.

The Austin team scored their four runs in pairs, two coming in the second and two more in the seventh. Although the Rangers obtained only five hits three were doubles by Henderson, Matlock and Anheier, Henderson and Anheier obtaining four of the Rangers' five hits.

Hall, Waco's speedy third baseman, had a poor day in the field, making two errors while Lewis booted one.

The teams meet in the final of the 2-game series today. Brooks or Fleahury will go to the mound for the Rangers while it will probably be Ragan for Waco.

Waco	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lewis s s	4	0	0	1	1	1
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	0	6	0
Kelly 1 f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hall 3 b	4	0	0	1	2	2
Frovenoe c f	3	0	2	0	0	0
Melver r f	3	0	2	0	0	0
Shivers 1 b	3	0	12	0	0	0
Humphreys c	1	0	0	3	1	0
Mitchell p	3	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	28	0	1	24	11	3

Austin—

Cannon 1 f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Clements s s	4	0	0	1	5	0
Chancy 2 b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Anheier 1 b	4	0	2	10	0	0
Bedford c f	1	2	0	3	0	0
Matlock 2 b	3	2	1	0	0	0
Henderson 3 b	3	0	2	5	0	0
Countney r f	3	0	2	0	0	0
Scott p	3	0	0	1	4	1
Totals	29	4	5	27	14	1

Waco.....000 000 000—0
Austin.....020 000 20x—4

Two-base hits—Henderson, Anheier, Matlock. Struck out—By Scott 5; Mitchell 3. Bases on balls—Off Scott 3; Mitchell 2.

Local News

W. E. McKinney was a Richland visitor Monday.

Mrs. Willie West and children are visiting in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Roy Bryan was a Fort Worth visitor the past week.

H. B. Lettman returned Monday from Dallas, Corsicana and Richland.

Mrs. Bright spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Blackford of Corsicana.

Mrs. Nora Leaning and son, Henry, are in Missouri this summer where they will spend a pleasant period with relatives.

Mrs. Walter Hatcher of Kansas City is spending the Summer with relatives here. She is a guest this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Harmon.

The more you help home interests the better Mexia will get.

Hunting Racer To Beat French Crack

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, June 10.—This country lacks an outstanding equine champion to match against Epineard, when the great French thoroughbred crosses the Atlantic for a series of three races this fall.

A season that held so much of promise in St. James, Sarazen, Wise Counsellor, Mad Play and Ardinance has failed to produce a horse worthy of carrying the silks of America against Pierre Wertheimer's flyer.

True, Black Gold may yet establish himself as the year's wonder horse. The victory of this popular western colt at Churchill Downs makes him, at present, first choice for the second of the match races, which will be at a mile and a quarter, the Derby route.

But Black Gold, despite the enthusiasm of western horse men, is looked upon as the lucky bet of a spring that brought little but misfortune to crack colts, whose aristocratic hoofs had promised to drum out new turf history.

There awaits a "kingdom for a horse" which can step out of the undistinguished mass of dark ones and show heels to fields in the 1934 classics. Eastern men say there has not been a chance like this in ten years for some good horse to "clean up" in the stake races.

Where are the stars of the winter books?

St. James, for whom prognosticators wove the laurels of Churchill Downs, is temporarily, perhaps permanently, out of the running. The colt broke down after a breeze at Jamaica shortly before Derby Day.

Wise Counsellor, conceded by many westerners as a winner of the Preakness and the Derby, went off his feed—or something.

Sarazen has not responded to careful treatment by Maxey Hirsch in a way that painstaking veteran would like.

Mad Play failed; so did Bracadale. Ordinance hesitated at the threshold of a championship career.

Zev, best of 1933, lost caste when

he took dust from St. James and later from Rialto and Sunshi at Jamaica.

There is Laurano, winner of the Metropolitan Handicap, and Bud Fisher's good filly, Nellie Morse, but neither of these measures up to the French champion.

Pierre Wertheimer's horse, while far from being the greatest of all time, is a far better colt than Papyrus the beer-swilling English Derby winner, which trailed Zev in the \$100,000 stake race at Belmont Park last year.

Epineard ran some fine races on the Continent and in England last year, and was easily the best three-year-old in Europe. In the Cambridgeshire it was asked to concede too much weight and met defeat by a head. Last month, in a match race at the historic St. Cloud track, Epineard was beaten again by a head by J. D. Chon's Sir Galahad III. Many who watched this match race believe that had the riders been reversed, Epineard would have won.

At the time, Wertheimer stated that he would go through with plans to ship his colt to the United States, provided it made a good showing in some English races this summer.

This year's international stake

will be three in number, at a mile, mile and a quarter, and mile and a half. Two will be on eastern tracks and one at Latonia.

The French colt is not as temperamental as Papyrus was made out to be. When the English champion crossed on the Aquitania, it had a special stall supported to offset the rolling of the ship; it was spoonfed, had its pint of beer each day and was handled with gloves from Ben Irish's stables to the paddock at Belmont. And then they neglected to put on the right kind of shoes, and Papyrus was as helpless in the mud that day as though it had worn roller skates.

Epineard has speed, heart and unusual class and the American horse that takes his measure should show more outstanding ability than has been displayed on the turf yet this year.

Tomorrow, Sam Hildreth, trainer of Zev, Grey Lag and other champions, will tell what horse he thinks will show the class to warrant its choice as American champion and other veteran trainers have given the United Press their opinions as to the probable American contender.

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aside to the great capitalist, 'How excellent an avenue of escape we are providing for you.'

"We have recently witnessed the passage over the veto of the President of a so-called bonus or adjusted compensation bill," Burton said. He then outlined what the Government had already done for the war sufferers and concluded:

"But the bonus act is now the law of the land. Conditions created by it must be met and its provisions must be willingly accepted."

It was on the subject of the Senate investigations and "blot" action that the speaker unburdened himself without restraint.

"It is a most grievous wrong," he said, "to broadcast to the Nation and to the world the mouthings of criminals and scoundrels who would seek to scatter the shine of their own imaginations and hatreds."

"It is time to call a halt upon indiscriminate scandal-mongering, which is largely designed to insult the intelligence and undermine the patriotism of the American people."

Though "violent charges have been brought to light the unworthy motives and grasping avarice," he declared, there are not many among the thousands of house servants in Washington who are "recalcitrant to their trust."

The Republican party "stands firm as a rock" in its determination that "the guilty individual, whether he be high or low, Democrat or Republican, must suffer the severest punishment."

Turning to the "blot" situation in Congress, Burton deplored the lack of interest in primary contacts. When "indifference" exists, "unwholesome forces poison our public life. A well-organized minority is often more powerful than that inert mass of citizens whose patriotism is only aroused in times of grave emergency. To these causes are traceable the formation of blocks and the vehement assertions of individual or sectional interests."

"Never more than now have there been such insistent demands for special advantages, privileges of every nature, bonuses, pensions and relief measures, as they are called."

His summation up of the condition which led to his statement that the people looked rather to Coolidge than Congress for leadership was uttered in these sharp words:

"I would that I could say as much for the courage of all public men as for their honesty. The public fancy is sometimes caught by those who are most recalcitrant and at the same time most radically wrong. What is most sad in legislative halls and elsewhere is courage to withstand the sudden spasms which are created by a handful of rascals or invidious action. Candidates for office often fail to realize how much the people respect courage and common honesty."

Taking cognizance of "a tendency toward third party movements," Burton declared: "The effect is inevitably demoralizing, involving failure in constructive policies and a loss of control by a minority or a combination of minorities. If we should tread the path which so many other parties have tread with disastrous results, inefficiency and confusion would be the out come and there would be no expression, not of the majority will, but of the will of groups and of sections."

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Lawyers Endorse J. A. Stanford for Tenth Court Judge

The McLennan County Bar heartily endorse Judge Stanford, who has just entered the race for Associate Justice of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals, Place No. 2, as appears from the following:

To the Democracy of the Tenth Judicial District:

Having known Judge J. A. Stanford, as a member of the McLennan County Bar for a long number of years, and knowing his splendid standing as a citizen and Christian gentleman, and knowing his close application to the study of the law, and his splendid judicial and analytical mind, we, the signers hereof, take great pleasure in recommending him to those who may not know him so well, as Associate Justice of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals:

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Thos. P. Stone, Mayor of Waco,
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Method Peadral,
G. W. Smith,
J. W. McNamara,
Jno. M. Alexander,
Jno. H. Hatter.

DRILLING REPORT FOR RICHLAND

- Prov. Swink, 1, producing 10 barrels.
Prov. Swink, 2, 2978, 25 barrels.
Boyd number 1, swabbing 450 barrels, 2977, number 3, set casing at 2921.
Gadley number 3, reaming out; number 4, drilling around 2700.
Hallmark, 1, 2954, 400 feet of oil in the hole. Hallmark number 2, drilling around 2100. Hallmark number 3, drilling around 2675. Hallmark number 4, set casing, 2892.
Sun Brown, 2, producing 1050 barrels, 20 per cent B. S. and water.
Number 1, producing 300 barrels; number 3, drilling around 2566; number 4, set 2909; number 5, drilling in shale around 2160.
Moore Hillburn 1, drilling out

DELPHIAN CLUB PLAY TO DRAW BIG CROWD TONIGHT

The Delphian Club of Mexia will tonight present "The Microbe of Love," a three-act play at the Opera House. It promises to be one of the most largely attended home talent plays seen in Mexia.

The program is as follows:

- Musical Program—Act I**
Opening Chorus: We Can't Do Without the Men.
1. We Are Twenty-Five—Spinners and Spinsters.
2. Microbe of Love—Madam Cupid and Spinsters.
3. A Good Man—Chorus and Spinsters.
4. Old Fashioned Wife—Duet and Chorus.
Left Over Club.
1. Three Young Maids of Lee—Left Over Club.
2. Boys, Boys, Boys—Left Over Club.
3. The Wimmen Won't Let Me Alone—Lord 'Tis A Pity.
Act II
1. Fishing—Madam Cupid and Chorus.
2. Here Comes The Married Man—Bachelors.
3. Catch 'Em Young—Mr. Henpeck and Bachelors.
4. Teeny Weeny Band Box—Madam Cupid and Chorus.
5. They Always Follow Me—Madam Cupid and Chorus.
6. Rattle, Rattle, Rattle—Ensemble.
Act III
1. I'm Looking for a Sweetheart—U. B. Careful, Loving Long and Chorus.
2. Everywhere Henpeck Goes—Mrs. Henpeck and Chorus.
3. Girl in the Gingham—Shy Ima Fraud, Wanta Man and Chorus.
4. Our Cozy Bungalow—Billie Bachelor, Madam Cupid.
5. Wedding Bells—Chorus.
Grand Finale.
Left Over Club.
Tillie Comes—Eva Merrit.
Ever Ready—Bess Allen.
Piney Melting Heart—Lucile Friddy.
Mrs. Henpeck—Mrs. W. Hayter.
Special song by Lord 'Tis A Pity—???.???

- Chorus Girls.**
Marianne Murphy.
Clara Belle Bybee.
Virginia Walters.
Andrea Betts.
Eleanor Moore.
Elizabeth Jones.
Hazel Manning.
Jessy Mae Sherrer.
Miriam Bass.
Lurline Betts.
Dorothy Flynn.
Birdie Crida.
Old Fashioned Girls.
Eleanor Moore.
Hazel Manning.
Billie Bachelor—Geo. H. Bell.
U. B. Careful—Dr. Roy Leamon.
Simon Shy—Dr. Harry A. Porter.
Bobbie Bashful—C. L. Lewis.
Very Bold—W. R. Tidwell.
Can't Catch—Ervin Webb.
Never Wed—Ira Needham.
Lord 'Tis A Pity—W. H. Goleman.
Jeremiah Henpeck—E. L. Crow.
Cupids.
Peggy Manning.
Mary Jane Crow.
Phoebe Jane Gardner.
Wooton Twins, Tenny, Biggy.
French Maids.
Katherine Hickman.
Pearl Goolsby.

- plug. Rowan Davis 1, drilling 2320.
Oxford Davis, standardizing, 390 ft. of oil in the hole.
Steube Davis 1, set, 2877.
Tucker, derrick, Sun, derrick, At-lantie derrick.
Eslick, drilling in.
Hamill, bailed dry, 2945.

Progressive Plank Covers Many Political Issues of The Nation

By PAUL R. MALLON (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CLEVELAND, June 10.—The progressive plank to be presented to the Republican convention for consideration by the platform committee was made public today. It will be rounded by the resolutions committee, and serving as it does, with a statement of particulars from Senator LaFollette and his followers, will be the milestone marking the definite break in the Republican ranks which will be followed by the launching of the independent candidacy of LaFollette here July 4.

The plank includes a denunciation of the Coolidge administration so that its complete rejection is a foregone conclusion. It will serve only as a matter of record unless the members of the Wisconsin delegation are able to find a way of reading it from the floor, thus bringing it into the formal convention proceedings. There it will merely come before the resolutions committee. There it will be promptly thrown out, and the next protest of the progressives against the conservative domination of the convention will come upon the vote for the nomination of Mr. Coolidge, which Wisconsin and North Dakota will doubtless prevent being made unanimous.

"The great issue before the American people today is the control of government and industry by private monopoly," the Wisconsin platform begins.

"The tyrannical power which the American people denied to a King they will not longer endure from the monopoly system. The people know monopoly has its representatives in the halls of Congress, on the Federal bench and in the legislative departments, that these servile agents barter away the nation's natural resources, nullify the acts of Congress by judicial veto and administrative favor, invade the people's rights by unlawful arrests and unconstitutional searches and seizures, direct our foreign policy in the interests of predatory wealth and

Madam Hymen Cupid—Diana Harper.

- Spinners.**
Priscilla Prune—Miss Bobby Line.
Lovie Long—Ruth Hayne.
Jam Fraud—Albertine Mace.
Wanta Man—Marguerite Franks.
Arabella Antique—Mrs. Geo. Peyton.
Sophia Sweetgun—Marie Patton.
Piney Melting Heart—Lucile Friddy.
Ever Ready—Bess Allen.
Tillie Comes—Eva Merrit.
Samantha Lovings—Mrs. Z. Rochelle.
Lillie Lonesome—Cora Oliphant.
Mrs. Henpeck—Mrs. W. Hayter.

make wars and conscript the sons of the common people to fight them.

"The usurpation in recent years by the Federal courts of the power to nullify laws duly enacted by the legislative branch of the government is a plain vindication of the constitution."

The Board of Stewards of the Methodist church will meet in regular session at the office of Dr. Linnie Metcalf Tuesday night, Noel Hollingsworth, President of the

Board, stated this afternoon that he hoped every member will be present at 8:00 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Forrest are in Dallas this week.

Dr. T. F. Oates is a Dallas visitor today.

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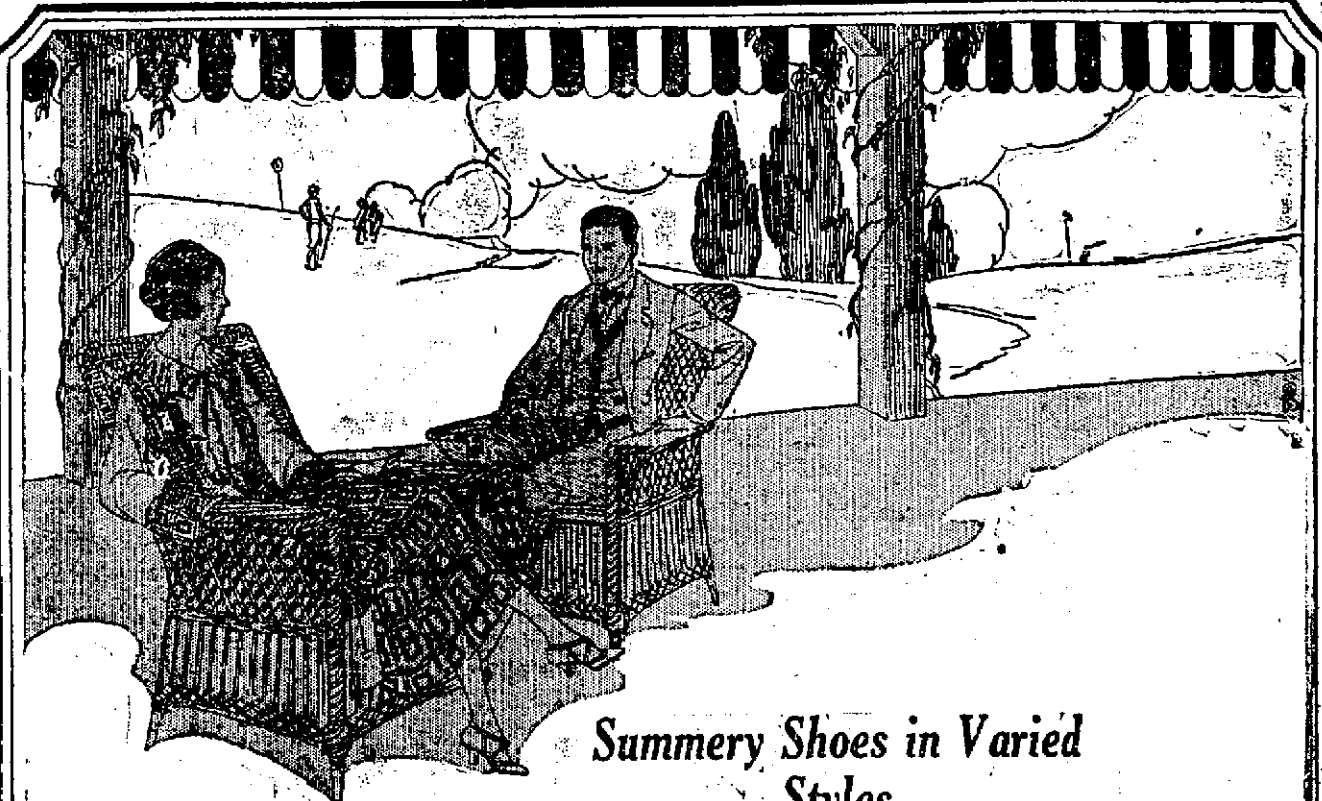


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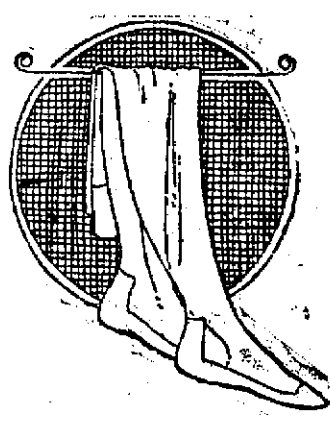
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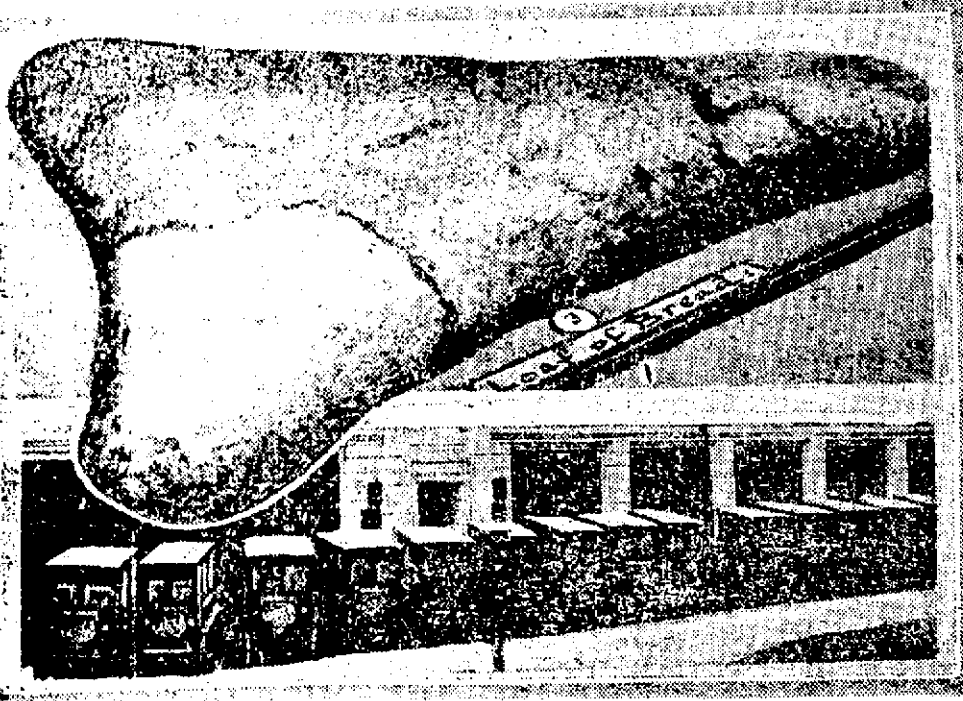


This beautiful sandal of patent leather, white kid, blue kid, red kid, green kid, and ivory kid—now ready in complete range of sizes at—

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Modern Loaf Stands Small Chance of Reaching Antiquity



THE oldest loaf of bread in existence is said to be the one discovered by an Egyptian explorer on the banks of the Nile in 1906, and now on exhibit at the British Museum. This loaf, shown above, was baked in the year 2663 B. C. and is therefore over 4400 years old.

The modern loaf of bread stands a small chance of reaching antiquity, according to William B. Ward, the great baker. The life span of the modern loaf of bread is only 24 hours, since those which are not sold are called for by the baking company. So future generations will not be able to judge for unsold loaves.

Noted American Author Shoots Himself To Death

G.O.P. NATIONAL CONVENTION OPENS AT 10 A. M.

Six Tarrant Prisoners Force Way To Freedom

McFarlane Dies In Coroner's Office Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, June 10.—Creeping unnoticed to a darkened hall way in the rear of the hall of justice, Peter Clark MacFarlane, noted author, shot himself to death last night.

The faint light shining through a glazed glass window in the door of the coroners office, directly opposite, fell upon the novelists body, which was discovered by a policeman.

MacFarlane left a letter, telling of his fears of increasing mental deficiency. He believed diabetes was impairing his faculties.

50-50 Battle Is On With Ladies All Determined

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—The midnight oil burned fleetly in the women's camps at the National Republican convention last night.

And today they had smoked out the political cave men.

For all day long and far into the night Republican women marshalled their forces for the greatest offensive movement that the party has yet known.

The 50-50 battle is on and there is only one outcome—for women.

They'll get it, they say, if they have to send the men back home, but the question is how.

Complete election of the rules committee will not be made until late Tuesday when the last of the state delegations hold their meetings but the women are confident that they have fixed that all right.

For days prominent Republican women have been calling on state delegations, dealing with Senators and dining with Governors, but never were tea table politics more poignant. Chatter of the power of the women's vote back home flowed with small talk and music—but always it flowed.

If tactics of this sort do not bring the rules committee to a quick decision and women are still denied equal representation on the National committees, they are prepared to take the fight to the floor of the convention.

Patronage, the women claim, is the real cause for the opposition they are getting from the men of their party. They are not willing to share this fight with the fair politicians.

By-standers at convention headquarters would say, however, that the men have bitten off more than they can chew. For a stamp of the foot from the vivacious Mrs. Medill McCormick, or the snapping eyes of Mrs. Chas. Sabin may not mean much in family circles, but—

The women are pinning their faith on these coupled with the inevitable flow of talk—think of the women's votes back home.

ROTARY WORKING ON "KNOT HOLE CLUB"

The Mexia Rotary Club is at work now in behalf of the Knot Hole Club. The plan adopted last year was that each boy who attended Sunday School the Sunday preceding the game at Nowlin Park was admitted for ten cents. The same plan is favored this year. President Hardy Eubanks of the Rotary club last week appointed a Knot Hole committee of three Rotarians.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Wednesday partly cloudy, probably local thundershowers in north this afternoon or tonight; cooler tonight in northwest.

West Tx.—Tonight and Wednesday cloudy.

LINK MILLIONAIRE MURDERERS WITH OTHER CRIMES.



FREEMAN LOUIS TRACY & CHARLES REAM.

Charles Ream, Chicago taxicab driver, who was kidnapped by two armed men on November 20, 1923, taken to the outskirts of Chicago and murdered by a blind operation, has positively identified Richard A. Loeb, one of the kidnaper-slayers of Robert Franks, as one of his kidnappers, and has partially identified Nathan E. Leopold, Jr., the other slayer, as the other. At the same time, the police sought to link the sons of millionaire families with the slaying of Freeman Louis Tracy, University of Chicago student, who accepted a lift from two men in the night of November 25, 1923, and was shot to death and thrown from the speeding car.

CONCLAVE OPENS WITH ALL SET FOR QUIET SESSION

By ROBERT J. BENDER

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—With quite precision, Republican hosts formally opened their convention today, aimed to name Calvin Coolidge their presidential nominee on the 70th anniversary of the G. O. P.

Every detail of the great convocation had been worked out in advance. Street cleaners were even up all night washing the pavements that nothing might mar the eye of delegates or visitors along the thoroughfare to a convention, which, in turn, had been made proof against blemish or jar.

A joyful sun greeted the sleep-and-quiet delegates as they awakened this morning to answer the call to duty and oratory, set for 11 o'clock. Long before the hour for the gavel to fall crowds were gathered at all entrances of the huge auditorium bent upon getting a glimpse of the opening proceedings. Reasons for the early rush were two—the prayer of Bishop W. F. Anderson—was one of the only two things not prearranged to be trouble-proof (the other thing being the vice presidency) and the first day promised the only day of full attendance because many delegates already are releasing their hotel reservations for the week.

Doors to the convention were opened to ticket holders at 9 a. m. At 10 o'clock the first real noise and color of the convention broke out in a parade of Naval Reserves through the downtown district. John Adams, retiring chairman of the Republican National Committee was scheduled to call the convention to order promptly at 11 a. m.

The greatest activity of the delegates, up to a late hour last night and continuing up to the hour of formally assembling today, centered on selection of a vice presidential candidate. When Adams gavel swung, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover ranked a slight favorite over the field and it appeared likely that the next 48 hours would find President Coolidge faced with the necessity of indicating a choice in order to effect an acceptance. It had been repeatedly stated by friends of the president that he preferred either Senator Borah, former Governor Frank O. Lowden or Secretary Hoover.

Chairman John T. Adams, at the opening of the Republican National convention said:

"This is the 18th Republican National convention.

"It is only sixty years since Lincoln

THE WORLD IN TABLOID

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Former Attorney General Harry M. Daugherty has passed as an important factor in the Ohio Republican organization.

His candidate for National committeeman, Louis F. Brush, publisher of the late president Harding's Marion Star, was defeated by Maurice Maschke, Cuyahoga county leader when the state delegation organized last night. The vote was 27 to 24.

PEKIN, June 10.—Carl Beck and George Snyder, missionaries attached to the Reformed Church which has its headquarters in Philadelphia, were wounded during a fight between local troops at Shen Chow Fu, June 3, it was learned today. Neither was seriously hurt.

CHICAGO.—A resolution urging the Internal Revenue Department and the Prohibition Division to liberalize the rule on the distribution of alcohol and "medicinal alcoholic liquor," to physicians before the house of delegates of the American Medical Association convention. The resolution declares that alcohol is a necessary drug.

AUSTIN, Texas, June 10.—Texas did not lose one acre of tillable soil and gained title to additional land on which are many valuable oil wells, according to Attorney General Keeling, commenting on the Supreme Court decision in the Red River boundary dispute in the Big Bend section.

HOUSTON, Texas, June 10.—Thomas Wharton, Dallas youth, is being sued for \$15,000 damages by Misses Anna Mims and Ethel Odell. The girls were with Wharton and Clifford Reinlander when their car overturned a few weeks ago. Wharton is facing charges of driving while intoxicated. Both of the girls allege permanent injuries.

was president. In that brief period, our country has enjoyed the greatest moral and material advancement in all history.

"This has been brought about largely under Republican rule. And at no time have the problems of Government been more wisely and effectively met than during the last three years.

"Our party has always stood for constructive progress. It has always endeavored to promote the welfare of the average man. It has always adhered to America's best traditions, both in domestic and foreign affairs.

"We are here, now, to pledge a new our faith in American institutions, and to name the next president and vice president of the United States.

Kenyon Is Now Mentioned As Mate For Coolidge

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM,

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—The republican national convention opened at 11:03 o'clock this morning when Chairman Adams of the national committee called the delegates and some 13,000 visitors to order. Following a band selection Bishop Anderson of the Methodist Episcopal church gave the opening prayer. "Moral courage, definite and aggressive leadership," he declared must be part of governments. Motion pictures were taken. Indications before the convention are that an attempt will be made to read La Follette and his supporters out of the party. This promises to cause a blast that will raise the lid off the convention roof. It is understood that Lowden has declared that he would not accept the vice presidency. Some delegates are talking of Judge William S. Kenyon, former Iowa Senator, for the place.

After electing temporary officers and appointing committees, the convention adjourned until 10:30 Wednesday morning. The only thing uncertain is the race for vice president. The rest is merely a routine matter of nominating Coolidge, which will be Thursday.

By ROBERT J. BENDER (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CONVENTION HALL, CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 10.—Declaring that most citizens now look "to President Coolidge," rather than Congress for leadership, Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio today called for re-election of the President and a majority in the next Congress, made up of Republicans, "tried and true," who will stand united.

It was the keynote speech of the G. O. P. for the convention and the coming campaign. It left upon the minds of the thousands—delegates and guests—who crowded the huge hall, this unmistakable impress:

Under the leadership of Calvin Coolidge the Republican party must stand or fall on conservative administration of Government unhampered by "bloes," and maintained by "party solidarity and in organization whose members unite in close formation to do battle to every foe."

Interesting and informative as was Burton's review of the Republican administration's accomplishments, the real sensation of the address came when he adjusted his range on Congress, House and Senate action on the immigration, tax and bonus bills, the scandal investigations and "bloes" action of different sorts, all came in for criticism or warning.

By implication, at least, Burton denounced the Lodge and Pepper World Court proposals as being unsatisfactory to the President.

"Let me earnestly recommend participation in the World Court now functioning at The Hague," he said. "This court is essentially an American idea and more than that, a Republican idea. It must be remembered also that fifty-four nations are members of the league, and most of them have adhered to the separate protocol for the court."

Among other points of difference between the White House and Congress Burton mentioned the recent immigration law.

"While limitation and selection of immigrants," he said, was needed because our "melting pot has boiled over," it is "to be regretted that Congress refused the request of the President for further negotiation with Japan."

With assurances that new or increased taxes are not probable, Burton added, however, that "the recent revenue law is not the last word." He criticized those who counsel that "excessive surtaxes are desirable and result in larger revenue."

"The demagogue may say to the unthinking, 'see how we are taxing the rich,' and then in a soft voice

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CHIEF FIGURES IN DAY'S NEWS.



James Lucey, of Northampton, Mass., cobbler-philosopher, to whom President Coolidge wrote, when he entered the White House, "If it had not been for you I would not be here," laid down his last long enough to attend the Republican National Convention in Cleveland to see his friend nominated for the Presidency. Fred W. Upham, for 20 years treasurer of the Republican National Committee, has resigned, owing to ill health. M. Paul Painleve has been elected President of the new French Chamber of Deputies. U. S. Senator Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, is being prominently mentioned as permanent chairman of the Democratic National Convention, which meets in New York.

Going To Grandma's Little Girl Is Killed By An Automobile

DALLAS, Texas, June 10.—Aline Greenwood, 7, was instantly killed when she was struck by an automobile as she was crossing a street.

A negro chauffeur is being held in connection with the killing. Two other children with her were unhurt. All were enroute to visit their grandmother.

NEW DIRECTORY OF C. OF C. IS NAMED FOR MEXIA

The Chamber of Commerce met in business session at the Hurleston Hotel Monday night at 8:15. The meeting was characterized by speed, the business of the occasion being dispatched and a motion to adjourn was in order in 40 minutes after L. S. Patterson, Vice President, had called the meeting to order. He served as chairman in the absence of President John Sweatt who was out of town.

The meeting being called for the purpose of electing the Board of Directors for the ensuing year, Mr. Patterson immediately placed this business before the session.

J. I. Riddle, F. W. Welch and Roy Bass were named as a nominating committee. W. W. Barnett offered a motion that the directory be limited to thirteen members. This motion carried. On motion of J. K. Hughes, seconded by Dr. R. B. Jackson, it was decided that any member of the Board who is absent from three meetings while in the city shall be automatically dropped and the Board shall have the power to appoint another in his place.

The nomination committee submitted the following names to be voted

HONG KONG.—America's round the world airmen took off from Hong Kong and flew to Haiphong in French Indo China today.

The distance is approximately 500 miles.

Daring Escape Made From Tarrant Co. Jail

FT. WORTH, Texas, June 10.—Two of the six prisoners who escaped, Walter Hale and Jack Hairy, were arrested as they came out of a small grocery store shortly before noon.

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 10. After sawing their way through the bars, binding and gagging the jailer, E. M. James, six prisoners escaped early this morning from the Tarrant county jail. Before leaving they offered freedom to 32 other prisoners who refused to take advantage of the offer. Search is on for the escaped men, all of whom were held on charges of robbery.

CHICAGO YOUTHS TO PLEAD NOT GUILTY IN COURTS

By EDWARD C. DEER (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CHICAGO, June 10.—Determined that insanity shall not be used as a gateway from the gallows, Rebt. E. Crowe, State's Attorney, today pieced together a chain of evidence designed to prove the sanity of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, college graduates and scions of wealthy families, who confessed to kidnaping and killing Robert Franks, 14-year-old school boy.

Crowe questioned many University of Chicago students, class mates of the prisoners. He said he intended to show that the youths are absolutely sane, that they knew the difference between right and wrong; fully realized the penalty for the crime, and committed it after long deliberation and careful planning.

Tomorrow Leopold and Loeb will appear for arraignment on charges of kidnaping and murder. They will plead not guilty.

Crowe, will take personal charge of the state's case at the trial. It will be his first official court appearance in eight years.

Crop Condition Reported Worse In United States

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Crop conditions are worse than at any time in the past twelve years, the Agricultural Department declared. In some states the condition is serious. Bad weather is responsible. East of the Rockies May was the coldest May in thirty years.

DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE NEXT MONDAY

In making the call for the meeting of the Democratic Executive on the 16th, we stated Tuesday when it should have been Monday. This meeting is to be held next Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the Court House in Groesbeck and every Precinct Chair man is urged to be present.

E. A. ALLEN, County Chairman.

ALL DAY PICNIC PLANNED BY METHODIST LADIES

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church will hold its annual "all day picnic" at the Reunion Grounds Thursday, June 12. They will have as their invited guests the Groesbeck Woman's Missionary Society and all ladies who are members of the Methodist church in Mexia. Great plans are being made for that day. Funny stunts will be pulled but that's a secret. You will have to come to find it out. Be sure to be there on time at 11 o'clock Thursday morn. June 12th, at the Reunion Grounds. If you are a lady member of the First Methodist church in Mexia, you are cordially invited to come. If you have no way to go, call Mrs. Geo. Peyton, Phone 217, and a car will come for you.

INGRATITUDE

To the local man of optics, who made glasses of the best, came a young and beautiful maiden, on a strange, "I'm in trouble very deep. People say your fame is spreading, people wear the glasses you make, you are known from New York to San Francisco and from Brownsville to Chicago."

"I've a lover who's a dandy, he has yards and yards of pelf, while I am poor but honest with not a single bit of wealth. I am sure George loves me dearly, but he's jealous, that I know. He feels sure that I am flirting, he has often told me so."

"You see my right lid wobbles, it surely has the winks. It makes me seem a common flirt, so at least, my sweetheart thinks. Now are there glasses, do you know of any way, to keep that lid from flitting, make it stop getting gay?"

The wise old opto nodded, his attitude was grave. "I shall build for you some glasses that will make that lid behave. You are indeed too young and pretty," and the opto heaved a sigh, "to lose your handsome lover, on account of one fresh eye."

Months flew by and then the winter came with cold and shivery gale; at his cozy office window, the opto waited for his sale. Down the street there strolled a couple, the lady's coat was made of mink, as she glanced up at the opto, her right eye gave a wink.

"I guess its retribution," thought the opto in disgust. "I helped her look her George now the girl don't give a hoot. Next time a pretty maiden comes to me with a forlorn tale, I'll hold on to the glasses 'till she digs up all the kale."

MEXIA DAILY NEWS
COVER BIG MEET
AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

For the next several days, The Mexia Daily News will carry complete stories of the activities of the Republican Convention which will open Tuesday in Cleveland, Ohio. The United Press, serving The Mexia Daily News, has some of the leading writers of America covering the big convention. The News will thus be able to present, through its splendid service, convention news while it is news, being first to tell the stories of the meeting to the Mexia territory.

STOP THAT ITCHING
Use Blue Star Remedy for eczema, itch, tetter, or cracked hands, ring worms, chapped face, poison oak, sun burns, old sores or sores on children. It relieves all forms of sore feet. For sale by Mexia Drug Co.—(Adv.)

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.



Below: GEORGE F. BAKER & DR. IGNAZ SEIPER.
Below: MRS. KATHERINE D. BENJAMIN & PRINCE RUPPRECHT

George F. Baker, multi-millionaire New York banker, has given \$5,000,000 for the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, where stress will be laid upon the teaching of business ethics. Ignaz Seiper, Austrian Chancellor, was shot down and seriously wounded in the Vienna railway station by Karl Jaworek, who then shot himself. During a celebration in Munich 30,000 Bavarian war veterans hailed ex-Crown Prince Rupprecht, former commander of a group of German armies, as their king. The ex-wife of Park Benjamin, of New York City, brother-in-law of the late Enrico Caruso, once a leader in New York society, has had to abandon society for a \$20 a week job as a sewing girl. She recently had her husband jailed for failure to pay back alimony.

Johnson Decides On Vote of Four Circuit Members

(Waco Tribune)

The Texas association season will be split June 26 instead of June 19 as recently announced.

The above statement came from President A. B. Johnson's office at Marlin Monday afternoon. With the announcement President Johnson made the following statement:

"When President J. Doak Roberts of the Texas league, drew up the schedule, it was his idea to split the season June 19, and that was the date agreed upon by the owners at their annual meeting in Waco in March, but after careful investigation it has been disclosed that should the season be split following the games of June 19, only 59 contests would have been played in the first half and the teams would be forced to play 71 in the second half. By splitting the season following the games of June 26, 65 games will be played in the first half and 65 in the second. I immediately ordered a vote by mail, and the first four teams answering voted to split the season June 26. This assured the split for the latter date."

Marlin and Temple have two games scheduled for June 26, and due to the arrangement of the schedule the first game will count in the first half while the second game of the afternoon will be the first contest for both teams in the second half.

By giving the teams a week's more of play in the first half, the race has become more doubtful than ever. Mexia, which has been com-

ing along at a rapid clip for the last two weeks, must now be given serious consideration for the pennant, while only a pair has separated Marlin, Waco and Corsicana for the past two weeks.

The Waco team will return home Tuesday after a 12-day trip which called for 14 games. Austin will be here for four games in three days beginning Saturday, two contests to be staged Sunday after which Mexia will be here June 17, 18 and 19. Waco then opens a series in Marlin, which might have an important bearing in the championship chase, two games being played in that city, the teams playing here June 22. Waco plays in Austin June 23, 24 and 25, and returns here to open another series with Mexia June 26.

Prim Prest.

AT 82 MRS. WARREN FINDS HEALTH IN KARNAK

To be so crippled up with rheumatism and her vitality so wasted by other troubles that she had to be propped up with pillows, and then to find renewed health by means of the sensational new medicine Karnak, is the remarkable experience reported by Mrs. E. E. Warren, 144 University Ave., San Antonio.

"I feel it my duty to let others know what this medicine has done for me," says Mrs. Warren, "for when it restored me so marvelously in spite of my eighty-two years, it will undoubtedly bring health to thousands of others if they will try it."

"I suffered day and night from rheumatism. I could not even dress myself and for days at a time was unable to walk a step. It was all over my body, in my limbs and ev-

Coolidge Most Methodical Of All Executives

By A. L. BRADFORD

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 9.—President Coolidge is one of the hardest working Presidents that ever occupied the White House, according to "old timers" at the Chief Executive's offices.

"If you notice, you always will find Mr. Coolidge's desk clean, as clean as a wiped-off slate," a White House attache of long service said. "President Coolidge is an indefatigable 'digger' in his work. When he is searching information on some subject, he never stops 'digging' until he gets it."

The late President Harding did a formidable amount of work, the old employees at the Presidential offices declare. Mr. Harding had been "in the saddle" for years in the handling of government business—as the result of his service in the Senate—and he knew what to do in the White House.

Mr. Coolidge's chief characteristic is to dispose of every piece of detail that comes to his desk in the executive office each day before going to the White House proper for the night, it is said. Of course, some decisions that depend on further developments must be held over.

"Many is the time I have seen former President Taft in the President's office, when he occupied the White House, look at a huge pile of papers on his desk and walk out, to attend to those matters later," chuckled the "old timer."

This old employee has been at the White House since the time of McKinley. He always was much impressed by the late President Roosevelt's methods of work. Roosevelt could read an ordinary book in an hour—and a large book in two hours—and after finishing it could describe minutely and analyze each salient point of the work, he said.

Many authors asked Roosevelt, when President, to read and criticize their manuscripts, and a room at the White House was filled with many thousands of books and pamphlets that were sent as complimentary copies to the former President.

Each time a President becomes ill, no matter how slight the indisposition, there is worry at the White House, for veterans of the executive office staff are coming to the conclusion that the job of President is becoming too big for any one man to handle. The deaths of both Mr.

Harding and Mr. Wilson were attributed to the burdens of the presidency.

"I remember, after the stroke that paralyzed Mr. Wilson, the doctors gave the strictest orders that no question whatsoever and no matter how pressing to be placed before President Wilson. Only three hours after those instructions from the doctors, a paper of such importance came from the State Department that it simply had to be put up to the President."

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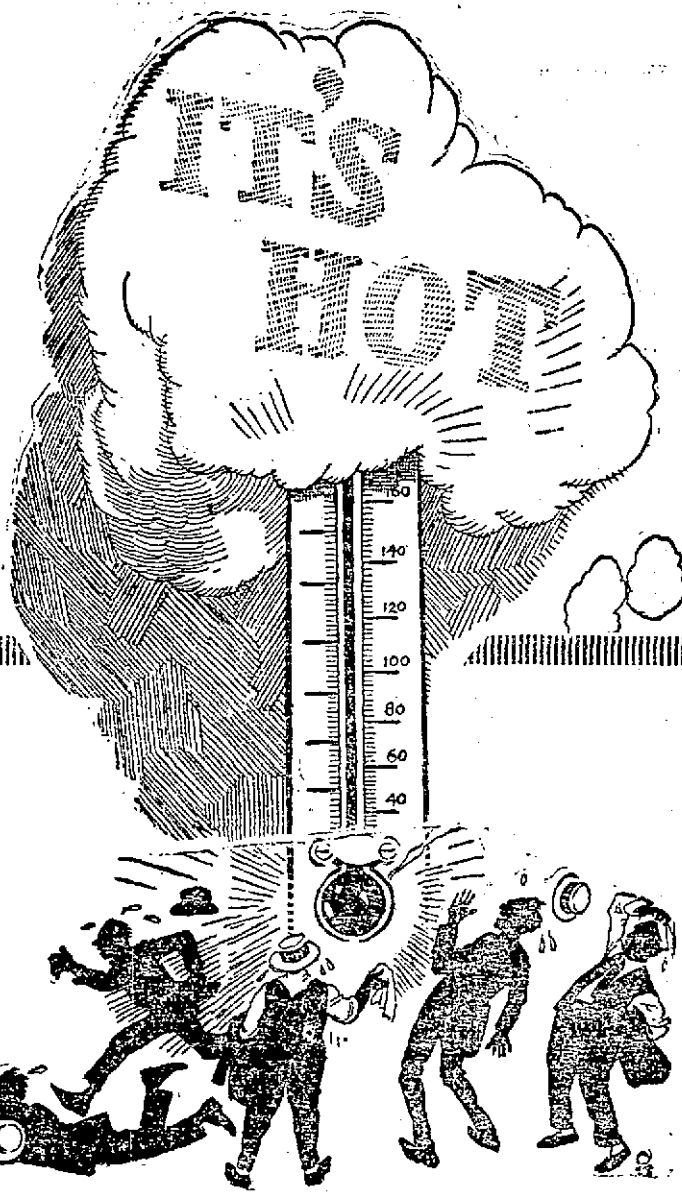
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It is appropriate that Republican National Convention should assemble in Ohio. Of the 11 of our party who have held the great office of President 7 have been natives of this Buckeye Commonwealth and 5 were elected from our midst. You will recall the names of Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Harrison, McKinley, Taft, and Harding. There is a special appropriateness in meeting in this city, for in this lesser area in which all roads lead to Cleveland there are memorials everywhere which speak for the achievements and tell of the leaders of the Nation.

Not far away are the resting places of Garfield, McKinley, Hayes, and Harding. The tomb of James A. Garfield and a monument to his memory are within the city limits. He was born on a barren farm in this county, and in rising step by step from lowly station to the highest executive position in the world none displayed more clearly than he the wonderful possibilities of American life. Leader in peace and war, he was the victim of the revengeful frenzy of a disappointed office seeker. If his worst enemy had contemplated such a frightful crime, he would have shrunk from it in horror and might have said after Tacetheth:

... Besides this Garfield Hath borne his faculties so meek, Hath been So clear in his great office, that his virtues Will, plead, like angles trumpet-tongued, against The deep damnation of his taking off."

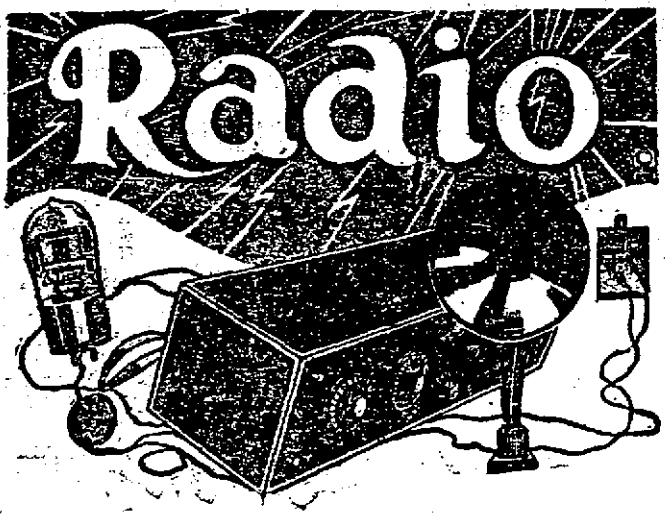
McKinley, too was stricken down in his splendid prime by one whose brain was reeking with the monstrosities of anarchy. How sorrowful the death of one whose name will be for ever associated with that captivating charm which compels admiration and love.

Almost equally pathetic was the death of Warren G. Harding, whose untiring labors made him a martyr to service and brought an early death quite as sad as that of the soldier who perishes with all his armor on. The exacting duties of his high office did not slacken his constant striving, though ill health and weakness hung threatening as a word above his head. A Nation bowed in grief mourned his death; the whole world mourned him as a lover of peace and good will. If ever he made those mistakes, which mortals must make, it was because of the kindness of his heart, because of a noble mind which thought of no ill of friend or foe but reposed trust in everyone.

If I might imitate and enlarge upon the words of a funeral eulogy uttered by a famous orator, it might be said of Harding that if all who have gained inspiration by listening to his eloquent words, everyone who has felt the warm grasp of his friendly hand, the many who received his sympathy in days of sorrow, were to plant a flower upon his grave, a tangled wilderness of flowers would surround his tomb; the snow white anemone, the blue violet, blossom of golden hue or brightest red, poppies like those from Flanders field would spread a garment of beauty all around. Rest, Wearied Spirit, rest in peace, secure in that lasting remembrance which belongs to the immortals.

This convention has one unique distinction which in itself will give it a most notable place in the history of party gatherings. This is the first time in national political convention that women have taken their place as delegates under a right of suffrage vouchsafed by the Federal Constitution. More than 400 are here as delegates and alternates, giving emphasis to this radical departure. You are welcome, thrice welcome here; welcome to the privileges and responsibilities, the triumphs and rewards, of participating in the control of this the world's foremost democracy. In this later day when women's sphere has been so enlarged, when social questions have assumed such importance, and the aims of the government are more in terms of human welfare, the finer graces, the keen discrimination of women are needed in the body politic. I scarcely need remind you that of the 36 States which ratified the suffrage amendment at least three-fourths belong to the Republican column, and in the last presidential election all but three gave majorities for Harding. And now no nonchalant or superficial regard for this new duty will suffice, whether you favored suffrage or not. This convention relies upon your activities in the coming campaign.

Let us survey briefly the record of this Republican administration. The



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9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

WLW, 9, Convention concert, and Christian Endeavor orchestra.
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WCAE, 9, Late concert.
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WLW, 9:30, Pumpkin Vine orchestra and vocal numbers.

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band and vocal music; vaudeville act.

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11:00 to 12:00

WFAA, 11 to 12, Vocal recital.

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.

WDAF, 11:45, Nighthawk frolic.

4th of March, 1921, witnessed a country still suffering from the results of the colossal world struggle; there was disaster upon the land. The war with its aftermath of reckless expenditure and feverish living had given place to a dull, hopeless inactivity. Here, as abroad, were industrial depression of armies of unemployed. Indeed, five millions were seeking work and finding none. Formal peace had not been established with the nations with which he had been at war. There was a chilling record of waste which spread its blighting influence over every form of administrative service. The demands of a new America had to be met with wisdom and patriotism.

It is fair to say that so long as the Democratic party continued in power after the war America's progress on the road to rehabilitation was hardly more satisfactory than that of the European countries. But when the Republican Party came in, reestablishing nation wide confidence that its timely capacity for constructive policies and administration were now at the country's service, there was immediate improvement. The Democrats could not even make peace. The Republicans did.

Scarcely half a year had passed when a turn was called. Workmen in multitudes returned to the shops, peace was proclaimed, and that stability which is the strength and life of a nation dwelt here in a measure not enjoyed in any other part of the earth. If there is now a slackening of activity it is due to uncertainties in our domestic policies, fiscal and other, and to the unsettled state of Europe; but the same guiding principles which brought us to a higher plane can sustain us still and open the door for a more splendid future.

Fore most in international affairs was the Conference for the Limitation of Armaments in the years of 1921 and 1922. That conference pointed the way to stop the mad race for naval expansion, provided a means of settlement for years to come of questions in and around the Pacific Ocean, placed the stamp of disapproval upon the submarine, the assassin of the sea, and upon the more terrible use of poisonous gas in warfare. It made the long-sought open door in China a reality, and gave to that most populous of all countries new grounds for hope and assurance of protection from foreign aggression. In the path that leads to peace no gathering has been more notable or more successful than which convened in our own Washington in an atmosphere of good will and international cooperation.

We may point not only to the disappearance of unemployment but to the great progress in the payment of our national debt. That debt, which amounted to nearly 24 billions on March 4, 1921, three years later had been reduced by much more than 2 billions.

I can review only briefly the beneficial legislation which has been enacted during the life of this administration, especially in its first two years.

At an early date the budget system was adopted, introducing order instead of confusion and competition in

demands for public expenditure, securing economy, and providing for the balancing of expenditures and revenue. Such a system had been the earnest and unanimous desire of all students of the subject for years. A law establishing it had been passed by a Republican Congress in the last year of the preceding administration, but it met with a Presidential veto. The budget in the first year of its operation resulted in a reduction of \$600,000,000 from the estimates of the spending departments. If there is any one thing which is desirable in our fiscal system, it is that we should stand firmly by the budget in the future.

A revenue bill was enacted in 1921 which lessened by over \$800,000,000 per year the taxes which should have been collected under the prior law. The revenue bill just passed, though abounding in defects, very materially diminishes the burdens of the people and partially or entirely does away with some of the more vexatious taxes.

A tariff act was passed adapted to the situation prevailing since the war and based upon the fundamental idea that our labor and our enterprises should not be handicapped by differences between foreign and domestic costs, but with no aim to promote monopoly or extortion, and with a very useful provision that in the event any rates prove to be lower or higher than they should be, the President by proclamation, on the advice of the Tariff Commission, can make necessary changes and adjustments. Contrary to the pessimistic forecasts confidently made by opponents of this measure, both exports and imports have very substantially increased since its passage. As a revenue measure it has amply justified itself, for the customs receipts in the year of 1923, amounting to the unprecedented sum of \$562,000,000, exceeded by those from any Democratic tariff ever written by more than \$200,000,000.

An act for funding of foreign debts was passed. These debts rested upon agreements or obligations hastily drawn in the stress of war and lacking

definite terms. Already England, for centuries proud of her credit, has executed bonds for \$4,600,000,000, on which interest is, for the third time, to be paid to-day. Payments have also been made upon principal. Bonds for much smaller amounts have been executed by Finland and Hungary, and it is hoped that other countries will make like settlements.

Comprehensive legislation has been adopted for the veterans of the late war, coordinating a great variety of conflicting and inharmonious methods and bureaus in the Veterans' Bureau. For the Soldiers of the late war who are suffering or in want, and for their dependents, we are and at all times must be ready to make provisions even to the last scruple in the Treasury.

There was a restoration of peace with Germany soon after the present administration took office and the way was paved for friendly relations with the countries with which we had been at war. Our participation in the great struggle was not prompted by any hatred of the enemy peoples but by the feeling that their rulers, in the overweening ambition, had led them astray. Against them—Germans, Austrians, Hungarians, all—we cherish no feeling of revenge, but welcome them back to the great family of nations, in the hope that after defeat and bitter loss they may enjoy the blessings of a new and better era.

We appropriated twenty millions for the starving in Russia, an act in which we may well take satisfaction, in that it was a declaration to the world that with abounding good we were ready to succor the suffering and the destitute, though living under a regime inimical to all the traditions of the Government. Our compassion for the helpless and the miserable is not restrained by differences of race or in form of government.

We have passed and the president has approved the so-called Rogers bill, placing our Diplomatic and Consular Service, with its rapidly increasing importance, on a higher plane and giving opportunities to others than millionaires to occupy the more important positions.

The construction of good roads has been aided and stimulated as never before, thus meeting the demand for improved conditions of communication and transit, especially with a view to the needs of the farming population. Reader means of access from community to community and from State to State have accomplished wonderful results.

Two immigration acts have been passed. While we recognize invaluable benefits to our country from the infusion of immigrants from other lands who have added variety and strength to our national life, we have come to realize that the number landing on our shores has been too large for pro-

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per assimilation. The so-called melting pot has boiled over. Therefore limitation and selection must be the order of the day.

It is to be regretted that in the passage of the recent bill the request of the President for time for further negotiation with Japan was refused. For that great nation, with which our relations with rare exceptions have been so friendly, we have no feelings but those of admiration and respect. The adoption of policies for the exclusion of Japanese immigrants by no means implies any claim of their inferiority, but rests upon essential differences, notably in standards of living which render them uncongenial to our industrial life. It is our fervent hope that this reason may be understood, and that these two nations on either side of the Pacific may banish all causes of friction or misunderstandings and of peace.

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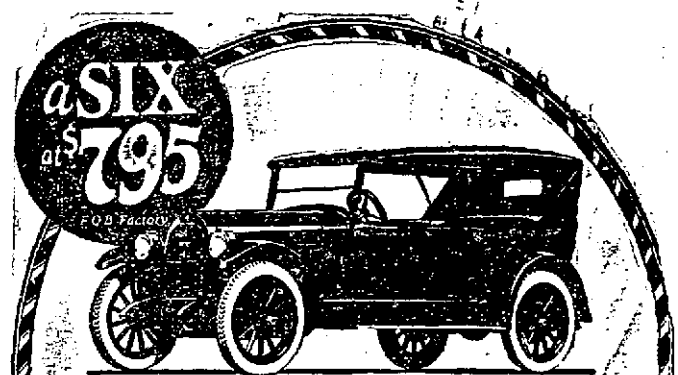
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It has not been by chance nor happy inspiration that my immediate predecessors as grand masters have taken up during their terms of office the task of calling attention of the Masons of this jurisdiction to the need of supporting the public school system of the state and nation. The question has forced itself upon public attention; has revealed itself as among the matters most vital to our democracy. The great institution of Freemasonry, which should be alert to all that is involved in good citizenship, can not remain inactive while such a question demands attention.

Until recent years it has been a boast of our people that the United States was an example for other nations in the educational opportunity offered freely to its children. With this went the conviction that nowhere else could be found such a low percentage of illiteracy. The tests of the world war and a consequent examination of census reports brought humiliation. We found that 5,000,000 illiterates were numbered among our population, representing, according to official explanation only those persons who have had no schooling whatever. Of these, 3,000,000 were American-born. In the draft it was found that one out of every four of military age examined could not write a letter home nor read a newspaper in English. Again, the census of 1920 showed that 1,437,000 children, from 7 to 13 years of age are not attending any kind of an educational institution. More than 1,000,000 children between the ages specified are classed as workers, forced by untoward circumstances or parental necessities or indifferences, to forego all privilege of education. The knowledge of these things has silenced a former boastfulness and aroused a determination to correct the trouble and erase the blot from the nation's record.

In many communities indifference or penuriousness has affected the schools injuriously. It is stated on authority that during the past year some 50,000 teachers, with no further equipment than a common school training, were attempting the impossible task of properly preparing more than 1,000,000 children for the duties of life. To combat such inefficiency becomes a duty.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

Dallas Journal

Mark Sullivan, discussing vice presidential possibilities in connection with the nearing convention, shows convincingly that it is not easy to draft large caliber men into that office, because it offers no opportunity for the exercise of initiative or constructive force. Neither Hoover, Dawes nor Lowden—each mentioned as a desirable runningmate for Mr. Coolidge—could be influenced to accept the nomination for the reasons already cited. Each has capacity to render a more important service, and it is easy to understand why none of these is willing to submit to a limitation of his capacity to serve.

The argument that a Vice President should be a kind of assistant to the President or "an assistant general manager of the administrative business of the country," as advanced by Mr. Sullivan, may not be new, but it still has force, and is made even more forceful by the changed conditions which the Republic faces.

Steps toward making the vice presidency a post of greater responsibility and of real importance should be taken by both of the major parties in convention, and afterward. The trouble has been that a man who is big enough to be President has been needed to fill the office of Vice President, but that few men who are that big

could be persuaded to take the office. That handicap should be lifted for the good of the Nation. One final consideration, and an urgent one, is that the modern pace is killing our Presidents and that the burden of responsibility and the pressure of so many exacting duties should be lifted and lessened. This is a good year in which to attempt that.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, June 10.—Foreign exchange opened lower. Demand sterling \$1.20 5-8 Francs .0501 1-2; Lire .0011; Belgians .0410; Marks 4.210-000,000 to the dollar.

Miss Aileen Tittle, a graduate of the 1923-24 session of the Mexia High School, is in Austin, in attendance upon the summer session of the State University.

Mr. I. Eberstein has returned to Mexia after a five week trip through the north, visiting St. Louis and Chicago.

Mrs. R. L. Vickers of Dallas is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fay Hamm of this city.

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Henry J. Allen

ASKS BUSINESS METHODS IN CARING FOR WARDS

LOS ANGELES, Calif., June 10.—(United Press.)—Better business methods in conducting the affairs of the orphanages, the old people's homes, the prisons, etc., of the nation were demanded today by Julia K. Jaffray, New York City, before the Federation of Women's Clubs. The speaker is the chairman of the committee on institutional relations of the federation. The speaker in part said: "Government housekeeping is the housekeeping for the half million wards of the state and the sixty thousand persons employed to care for them. Who comprise the State's family? The sick, the homeless children in our orphanages, the old people in the workhouses and homes, the insane, the feeble-minded and the men, women and children in jails, lockups, prisons, reformatories and reform schools—a family, which has reached such great proportions that it cannot safely be left to the tender mercies of the jovial happy-go-lucky politicians, nor yet the scheming, grafting political henchman. The burdens on the taxpayers are so great that from every section of the country comes the demand for honest and economical expenditure of the money appropriated

for state wards.

"How can this be done? Modern hotel methods can be carried over to Government housekeeping with great benefit to the state and its wards.

"What are these methods? First and foremost centralized buying. The war emergency forced the states to combine the orders for their institutions in order to get any supplies at all. Today forty-three states and all our larger cities have centralized their supply purchase system to a greater or less degree.

"The next step is to standardize the commodities purchased by the state. The next step is for states and zones to combine orders. This is carrying over the war industries board plan of large quantity purchase. There is an appreciable discount attendant upon large orders.

"The final step is to make the state wards contribute to their own support. Dr. Ellen Potter, Secretary, Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare, urges that the insane, the feeble-minded and even the old people should produce commodities which will help towards their self-support.

"The National Committee on Prison and Prison Labor states that when the sick and mentally disabled are removed from the prison population, there is no reason why prisons should

Pershing Way Is Turned Over To Limestone County

Commissioner John Kennedy of this precinct of Limestone County stated today that he had been holding conferences with the Pure Oil Company officials for some time in regard to

not become self-supporting. A plan for the allocation of prison industries to the different states is being worked out.

"The development of prison industries necessitates wages for prisoners—and this means that prisoners can pay back their board to the state—good housekeeping from the taxpayers viewpoint. It also means support for the prisoners' families."

the upkeep of the Pershing Way. Since this road, between the X-All highway and the Reunion Grounds was a private road, the county could not look after its maintenance and improvement. The Humphreys Oil Company spent \$50,000 or more in laying the foundation of and building the road, but since constructed little

attention has been given to its proper maintenance. Used by the public, it was a wise move to have this property transferred to the county, say citizens consulted about the project. The Pure Oil Company recently decided to turn the road over to the county and in a few days it is expected that the work of improvement on the strip may be begun.

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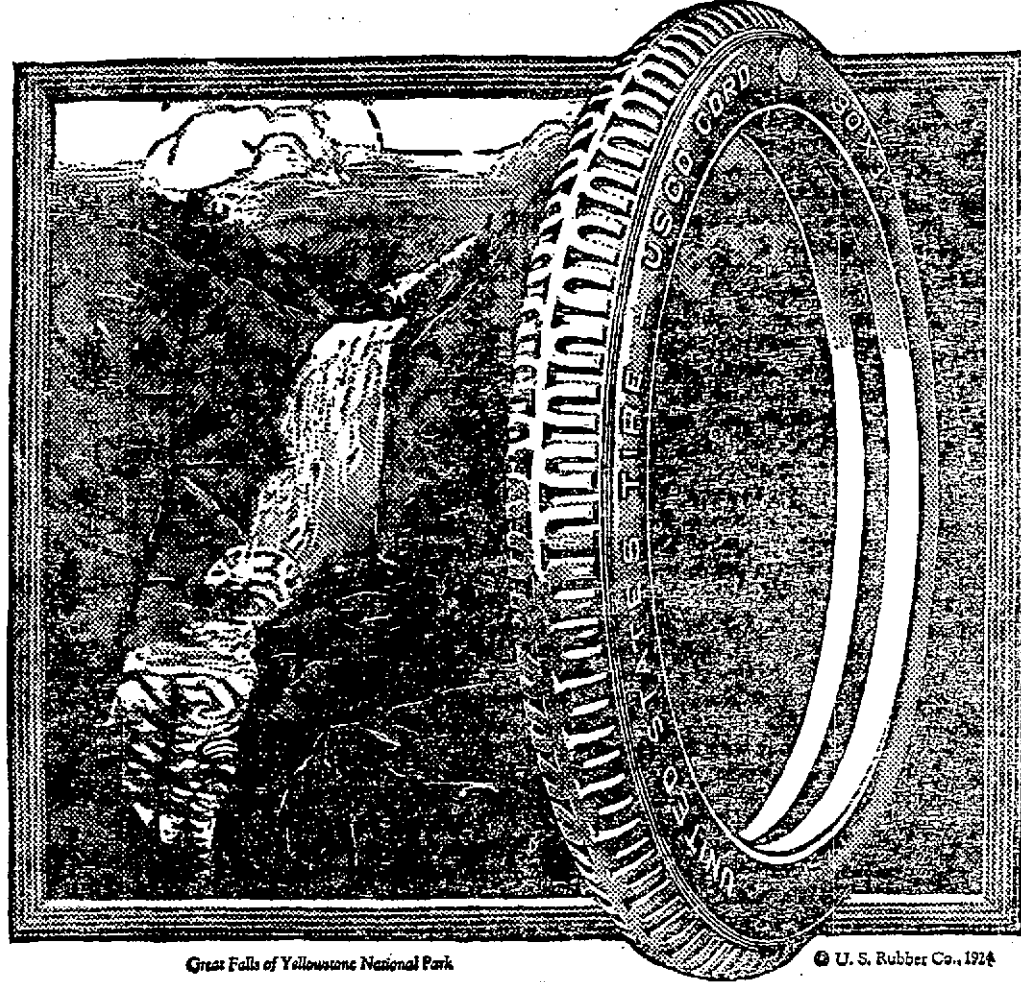
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Arthur Capper Mentioned For Second Place

CLEVELAND, June 10.—(United Press)—The career of Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, one of the Vice-Presidential possibilities before the Republican National Convention, could furnish for young men seeking to learn rules for success any number of hints and lectures on how to be successful a tale of valuable taxes.

Some might say Capper got his start by being born in Kansas; others, placing less importance upon geography, might lay his success to the fact that as a young man he learned the printer's trade, and not a few could be found to tell you he put his foot on the ladder of material prosperity when he became a reporter on the Topeka Daily Capital, which he now owns. Possibly Manhattanites might credit it to the fact that he was a reporter on a New York newspaper for a while. He was a Washington correspondent, also; that might have had something to do with it.

But the real secret, the most competent observers agree, lies in a little sentence in Capper's autobiography as set out in the Congressional directory. It is this:

"In 1893, started in business for himself."

Ever since then, Arthur Capper has been in business for himself, and he has made his boss a great deal of money and not a little renown.

Capper was born in Garnett, Kansas, July 14, 1865, and went to grade and high school there. He took his first job as printer's devil on the Garnett Journal, and there, after they had sent him across the street for a paperstretcher and a left-handed monkey wrench and otherwise properly hazed him, the printers taught him their trade. In 1884, Capper felt well enough equipped to hunt a bigger puddle, so he went to Topeka, getting a place as typesetter on the Capital. Then he went into the editorial room as a reporter, and became city editor, and as stated before, now he owns the sheet.

From Topeka he adventured into New York and Washington journalism, and selected Washington as the city to come back to. When Capper decided to work for himself, he bought the North Topeka Mail, a weekly. From then on, it was just a question of when he was going to buy another paper, for he succeeded right from the start, and now owns several daily newspapers and a string of prosperous farm weeklies in half a dozen states.

Capper had poor luck in his first venture into politics for the party split caused his defeat in 1912 for the governorship. But he came back strong in 1914 and was elected, and made it a double in 1916. Two years later the state sent him to the senate. Lanky and awkward, Capper looks and acts little like the successful politician. He seems like a timid soul, afraid to raise his voice in public, but he belies his looks. Possessing little oratorical grace, he can, and does, write powerfully, and through this medium of self expression he has "put himself over" with the people of Kansas.

He has a thorough acquaintance with the farmer and his problems, as the editor of successful farm papers must. He knows finance, also as the publisher of a string of newspapers must. He has been active, as a senator, in the work of the farm bloc, but has stayed pretty close to the administration on all major questions.

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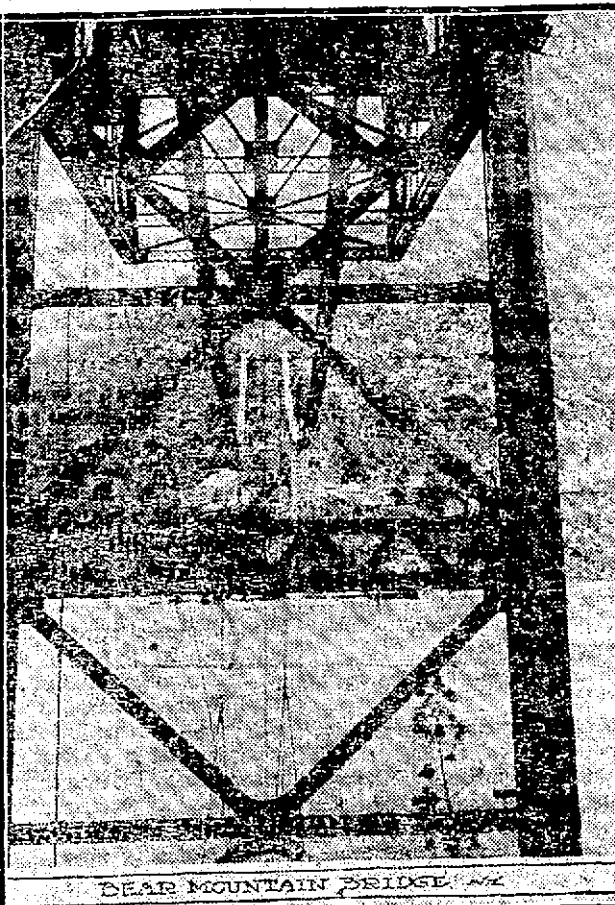
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NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presiding officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1921, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1921, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER?" and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1921, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1921, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing of a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of

the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHEREAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1921, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia,

and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the fram-

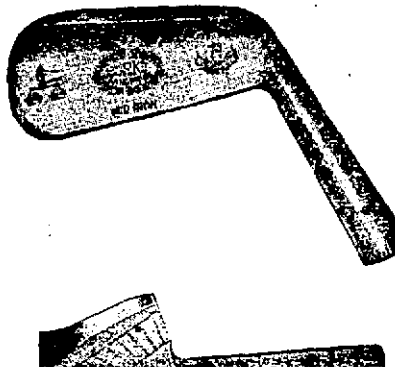
ing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public interests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

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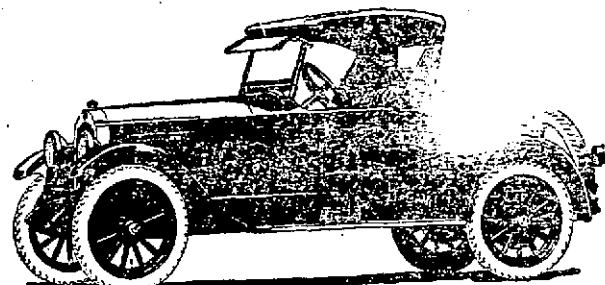
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CORSICANA OILERS WIN OVER MEXIA GUSHERS MONDAY

BIG CROWD SEES OILERS WALK AWAY WITH GAME

By HECK

Bases on balls came into their own at Nowlin Park Monday when the Corsicana Oilers beat the Gushers, 4 to 1 in a well played game that was so slow that it lagged painfully at the finish and became almost tiresome. Carl Hill and Davy Crockett hooked up in a battle and the big Oiler Behometh came out the winner due to Carl's generous nature in handing the Vannites bases on balls just before they made their few hits. Carl issued three free trips and all of them turned into runs while the pass Crockett issued Fowlkes made the only Gusher tally of the game. Crockett had plenty and was wild enough to be effective and was in danger but twice—the first and seventh frames being very effective in the balance.

The Oilers tallied one in the first frame when Carl passed Etheridge to open hostilities. Grubb sacrificed. Thornton hit a double to right center counting Etheridge. The Gushers tallied their only count in the first frame when Fowlkes was passed after Geppert's out. Crockett threw out Harding. Butler walked. Jones singled to center for the scoring of the skipper. Etheridge was again passed in the third, stole second and scored on Grubb's single. Another was added in the sixth after two were out on hits by Brown and Barrett and Jones wild heave of Malmquist's roller. A pass to Brown and Barrett's double counted the Oilers' last run in the eighth.

Malmquist for the Oilers and Hill for the Gushers did the only real flashy work on the infield, the Oiler secondsacker being especially worth mention and the old boy sure covered odds of ground out there Monday. Corsicana again today for the final game of the present series after which the Gushers leave for a few days.

Corsicana	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge 1 f	2	0	2	0	0	0
Grubb, 3 b	3	0	1	2	3	0
Thornton 1 b	4	0	1	12	0	0
Brown c f	3	2	1	4	1	0
Barrett r f	3	0	2	1	0	0
Malmquist 2 b	4	0	0	1	7	0
Sain s s	4	0	0	1	1	0
Vann c	4	0	2	3	0	0
Crockett p	3	0	0	1	3	0

Mexia	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Geppert s s	4	0	1	0	5	0
Fowlkes c	3	1	0	7	0	0
Harding 1 b	4	0	0	14	0	0
Butler 1 f	3	0	0	3	1	0
Jones 3 b	4	0	2	0	3	1
Heving r f	4	0	0	1	0	0
Bryan c f	3	0	0	3	1	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	1	5	3	0
Hill p	3	0	0	0	6	0

Totals.....	31	1	4	27	19	1
Corsicana.....	101	0001	010	—	—	—
Mexia.....	100	000	000	—	—	—

Two-base hits—Thornton, Barrett.
Stolen bases—Etheridge and Brown.
Strike outs—By Crockett 3; Hill 1.
Bases on balls—Off Crockett 2; Hill 2.
Hit batsman—Hill 1. Double
plays—Geppert to Leedy to Harding;
Butler to Leedy. Sacrifice hits—
Grubb, Crockett. Time—1 hour and
40 minutes. Umpire—O'Hearne.

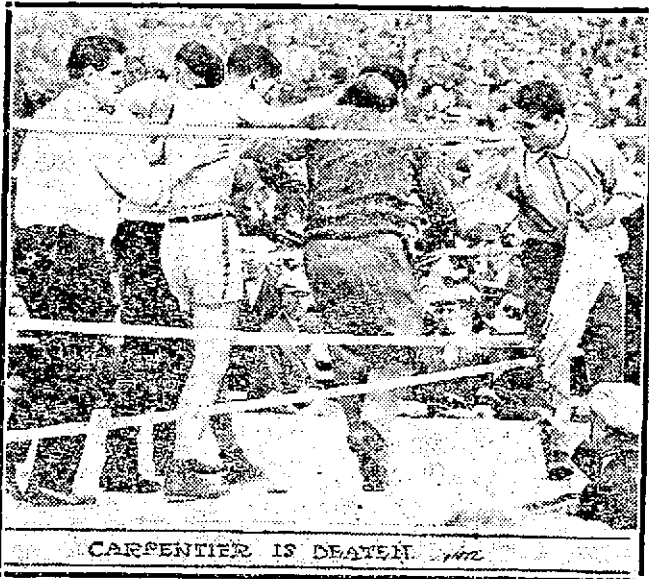
MATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero—Wilson, that'll all. The Giants sub outfielder leaped against a fast one in the 7th, his triple clearing the bases and winning for the McGraw tribe from Pittsburgh 6 to 4. Red Sox climbed into first place beating Chicago 5 to 1. The Yanks lost the league lead when they lost to the Browns 5 to 3. The Tigers beat the Athletics 5 to 3. Cleveland beat the Senators 6 to 1. The Phillies beat the Reds 4 to 2. Errors helped the Braves beat the Cards 4 to 2. The Dodgers beat Chicago 4 to 3.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—President Coolidge does not contemplate calling an extra session of congress in spite of the difficulties caused the administration by the failure of the deficiency bill and other important measures in congress. He does not believe the failure of naval construction and modernization bill will affect the plan to call another arms limitation conference as was feared.

Patronizing home institutions of all kinds is being fair to those from whose patronage you expect to profit.

GIBBONS DEFEATS GEORGES CARPENTIER.



Georges Carpentier, idol of France, is shown being assisted back to his corner at the end of the tenth round of his fight with Tommy Gibbons, in Michigan City, Ind., which Gibbons won decisively. Carpentier injured his ankle in the ninth round, but managed to last through the fight without a knockout.

MITCHELL HURLS CREDITABLE GAME BUT SUPPORT BAD

AUSTIN, June 10.—John Mitchell whose 10-day suspension was lifted yesterday, went to the mound for the Waco Indians Monday and the curve artist pitched brilliant enough to win the ordinary game, walking only two men and allowing only five hits, but long George Scott, was at the very top of his form and not only blanked the Waco team, but turned the locals back with only one hit. That hit did not come until the seventh inning when Strickland hit a clean blow to right field, the final score being Austin 4, Waco 0.

And with the defeat the Indians stepped down from the top rung of the ladder into a tie with Marlin for second place.

The Austin team scored their four runs in pairs, two coming in the second and two more in the seventh. Although the Rangers obtained only five hits three were doubles by Henderson, Matlock and Anheier, Henderson and Anheier obtaining four of the Rangers' five hits.

Hall, Waco's speedy third baseman, had a poor day in the field, making two errors while Lewis booted one.

The teams meet in the final of a game series today. Brooks or Fleaharty will go to the mound for the Rangers while it will probably be Ragan for Waco.

Waco	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Lewis s s	4	0	0	1	1	1
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	0	6	0
Kelly 1 f	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hall 3 b	4	0	0	1	2	2
Providence c f	3	0	0	2	0	0
McIver r f	3	0	0	2	0	0
Shires 1 b	3	0	0	12	0	0
Humphreys c	1	0	0	3	1	0
Mitchell p	3	0	0	0	1	0

Totals	23	0	1	24	11	2
Austin	101	000	010	—	—	—
Cannon 1 f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Clements s s	4	0	0	1	5	0
Chaney 2 b	4	0	0	3	5	0
Anheier 1 b	4	0	2	10	0	0
Bedford c f	1	2	0	3	0	0
Matlock 3 b	3	2	1	0	0	0
Henderson 3 b	3	0	2	5	0	0
Countney r f	3	0	0	2	0	0
Scott p	3	0	0	1	4	1

Totals.....	29	4	5	27	14	1
Waco	000	000	000	—	—	—
Austin	020	000	20x	—	—	—
Two-base hits—Henderson, Anheier, Matlock. Struck out—By Scott 5; Mitchell 3. Bases on balls—Off Scott 3; Mitchell 2.						

Local News

W. E. McKinney was a Richland visitor Monday.

Mrs. Willie West and children are visiting in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Roy Bryan was a Fort Worth visitor the past week.

H. B. Leitman returned Monday from Dallas, Corsicana and Richland.

Mrs. Bright spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Blackford of Corsicana.

Mrs. Nora Leaming and son, Henry, are in Missouri this summer where they will spend a pleasant period with relatives.

Mrs. Walter Hatcher of Kansas City is spending the Summer with relatives here. She is a guest this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Harmon.

The more you help home interests the better Mexia will get.

MARLIN WINS IN TENTH

MARLIN, June 10.—A wild pitch by Clair in the tenth letting Munson score gave Marlin a 5-to-4 victory after Temple had tied the count in the ninth.

Temple	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Wren r f	6	0	1	1	0	0
R. Pipkin s s	4	1	0	0	0	1
Brown 1 f	4	0	2	7	0	0
Crow 1 b	5	0	0	9	0	0
Leissner c f	4	1	2	7	0	0
Lance 3 b	4	1	2	0	4	1
McElwee 2 b	4	1	2	3	1	0
Hudspeth c	4	0	1	0	2	1
Johnson p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Lacy	1	0	0	0	0	0
Clair p	1	0	0	0	1	0

Totals.....	39	4	11	27	10	3
Lacy batted for Johnson in 8th.						

Mayhew 1 f	4	0	0	0	0	0
Alexander 2 b	5	2	2	3	5	0
Greer c f	5	1	1	4	0	0
F. Pipkin 1 b	5	0	3	8	1	1
Munson r f	3	1	1	4	0	0
Rawlins s s	4	0	1	4	2	0
White 3 b	4	0	1	0	2	0
Covington c	4	0	0	7	0	0
Severen p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas p	4	1	2	0	1	1
Gressett p	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Hunting Racer To Beat French Crack

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
NEW YORK, June 10.—This country lacks an outstanding equine champion to match against Epinard, when the great French thoroughbred crosses the Atlantic for a series of three races this fall.

A season that held so much of promise in St. James, Sarazen, Wise Counsellor, Mad Play and Ardinance has failed to produce a horse worthy of carrying the silks of America against Pierre Wertheimer's flyer.

True, Black Gold may yet establish himself as the year's wonder horse. The victory of this popular western colt at Churchill Downs makes him, at present, first choice for the second of the match races, which will be at a mile and a quarter, the Derby route.

But Black Gold, despite the enthusiasm of western horse men, is looked upon as the lucky bet of a spring that brought little but misfortune to crack colts, whose aristocratic hoofs had promised to drum out new turf history.

There awaits a "kingdom for a horse" which can step out of the undistinguished mass of dark ones and show heels to fields in the 1924 classics. Eastern men say there has not been a chance like this in ten years for some good horse to "clean up" in the stake races.

Where are the stars of the winter books?

St. James, for whom prognosticators wove the laurels of Churchill Downs, is temporarily, perhaps permanently, out of the running. The colt broke down after a breeze at Jamaica shortly before Derby Day.

Wise Counsellor, conceded by many westerners as a winner of the Preakness and the Derby, went off his feed—or something.

Sarazen has not responded to careful treatment by Maxey Hirsch in a way that painstaking veteran would like.

Mad Play failed; so did Bracade. Ordinance hesitated at the threshold of a championship career.

Zev, best of 1923, lost caste when

he took dust from St. James and later from Rialto and Sunfist at Jamaica.

There is Laurano, winner of the Metropolitan Handicap, and Bud Fisher's good filly, Nellie Morse, but neither of these measures up to the French champion.

Pierre Wertheimer's horse, while far from being the greatest of all time, is a far better colt than Papyrus the beer-swilling English Derby winner, which trailed Zev in the \$100,000 stake race at Belmont Park last year.

Epinard ran some fine races on the Continent and in England last year, and was easily the best three-year-old in Europe. In the Cambridgeshire it was asked to concede too much weight and met defeat by a head. Last month, in a match race at the historic St. Cloud track, Epinard was beaten again by a head by J. D. Chon's Sir Galahad III. Many who watched this match race believe that had the riders been reversed, Epinard would have won.

At the time, Wertheimer stated that he would go through with plans to ship his colt to the United States, provided it made a good showing in some English races this summer.

This year's international stake

races will be three in number, at a mile, mile and a quarter, and mile and a half. Two will be on eastern tracks and one at Latonia.

The French colt is not as temperamental as Papyrus was made out to be. When the English champion crossed on the Aquitania, it had a special stall supported to offset the rolling of the ship; it was spoonfed, had its pint of beer each day and was handled with gloves from Ben Irish's stables to the paddock at Belmont. And then they neglected to put on the right kind of shoes, and Papyrus was as helpless in the mud that day as though it had worn roller skates.

Epinard has speed, heart and unusual class and the American horse that takes his measure should show more outstanding ability than has been displayed on the turf yet this year.

Tomorrow, Sam Hildreth, trainer of Zev, Grey Lag and other champions, will tell what horse he thinks will show the class to warrant its choice as American champion and other veteran trainers have given the United Press their opinions as to the probable American contender.



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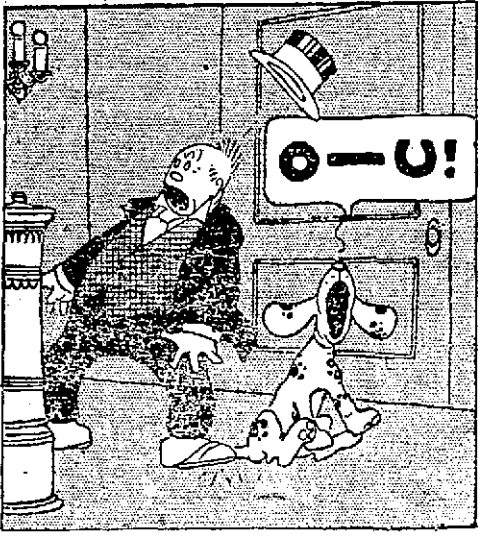
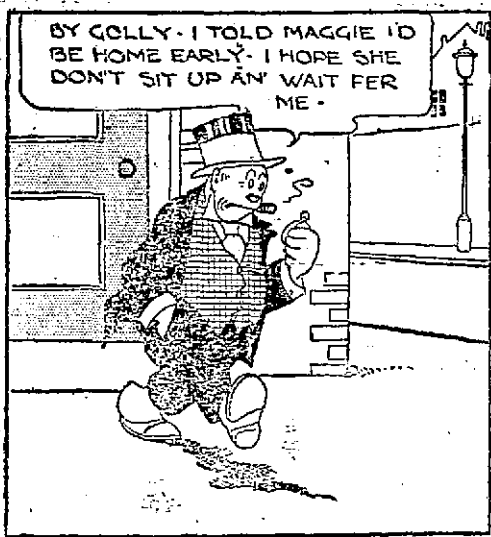
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Yesterday's Results. Boston 4, St. Louis 2. New York 6, Pittsburgh 4. Brooklyn 4, Chicago 3. Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 2.

Standing of Clubs. Clubs— P W L Pct. New York 47 30 17 .538

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For Senator 13th District— HARRY P. JORDAN

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For District Attorney, 7th Judicial District— LUTHER B. AULTMAN

For Judge 8th Judicial District— J. ROSS BELL

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For District Clerk— M. A. AINSWORTH.

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"But the bonus act is now the law of the land. Conditions created by it must be met and its provisions must be willingly accepted."

It was on the subject of the Senate investigations and "bloc" action that the speaker unburdened himself without restraint.

"It is a most grievous wrong," he said, "to broadcast to the Nation and to the world the mouthings of criminals and scoundrels who would seek to scatter the slime of their own imaginations and hatreds."

"It is time to call a halt upon indiscriminate scandal-mongering, which is largely designed to insult the intelligence and undermine the patriotism of the American people."

Though "violent charges have brought to light the unworthy motives and grasping avarice," he declared, there are not many among the thousands of house servants in Washington who are "treacherous to their trust."

The Republican party "stands firm as a rock" in its determination that "the guilty individual, whether he be high or low, Democrat or Republican, must suffer the severest punishment."

Turning to the "bloc" situation in Congress, Burton deplored the lack of interest in primary contests. When "indifference" exists unwholesome forces poison our public life. A well-organized minority is often more powerful than that inert mass of citizens whose patriotism is only aroused in times of grave emergency. To these causes are traceable the formation of blocs and the vehement assertions of individual or sectional interests.

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His summing up of the condition which led to his statement that the people looked rather to Coolidge than Congress for leadership was uttered in these sharp words:

"I would that I could say as much for the courage of all public men as for their honesty. The public fancy is sometimes caught by those who are most vociferous and at the same time radically wrong. What is most needed in legislative halls and elsewhere is courage to withstand the sudden spasms which are created by groundless rumors or injudicious agitation. Candidates for office often fail to realize how much the people respect courage and common honesty."

Taking cognizance of "a tendency toward third party movements," Burton declared: "The effect is inevitably demoralizing, involving failure in constructive policies and often times control by a minority or a combination of minorities. If we should tread the path which so many other countries have trod with disastrous results, inefficiency and confusion would be the outcome and there would be an expression of the will of the majority will, but of the will of groups and of sections."

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3. A Good Man—Chorus and Spinsters.

4. Old Fashioned Wife—Duet and Chorus.

Left Over Club.

1. Three Young Maids of Lee—Left Over Club.

2. Boys, Boys, Boys—Left Over Club.

3. The Wimmen Won't Let Me Alone—Lord 'Tis A Pity.

Act II

1. Fishing—Madam Cupid and Chorus.

2. Here Comes The Married Man—Bachelors.

3. Catch 'Em Young—Mr. Henpeck and Bachelors.

4. Tenny Wenny Band Box—Madam Cupid and Chorus.

5. They Always Follow Me—Madam Cupid and Chorus.

6. Rattle, Rattle, Rattle—Ensemble

Act III

1. I'm Looking for a Sweetheart—U. B. Careful, Loving Long and Chorus.

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3. Girl in the Gingham—Shy Ina Fraud, Wanta Man and Chorus.

4. Our Cozy Bungalow—Billie Bachelor, Madam Cupid.

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Old Fashioned Girls.

Eleanor Moore.

Hazel Manning.

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Simon Shy—Dr. Harry A. Porter.

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Progressive Plank Covers Many Political Issues of The Nation

By PAUL R. MALLON (United Press Staff Correspondent)

CLEVELAND, June 10.—The progressive plank to be presented to the Republican convention for consideration by the platform committee was made public today. It will be rounded by the resolutions committee, and serving as it does, with a statement of particulars from Senator LaFollette and his followers, will be the milestone marking the definite break in the Republican ranks which will be followed by the launching of the independent candidacy of LaFollette here July 4.

The plank includes a denunciation of the Coolidge administration so that its complete rejection is a foregone conclusion. It will serve only as a matter of record unless the members of the Wisconsin delegation are able to find a way of reading it from the floor, thus bringing it into the formal convention proceedings. There it will merely come before the resolutions committee. There it will be promptly thrown out, and the next protest of the progressives against the conservative domination of the convention will come upon the vote for the nomination of Mr. Coolidge, which Wisconsin and North Dakota will doubtless prevent being made unanimous.

"The great issue before the American people today is the control of government and industry by private monopoly," the Wisconsin platform begins.

"The tyrannical power which the American people denied to a King they will not longer endure from the monopoly system. The people know monopoly has its representatives in the halls of Congress, on the Federal bench and in the legislative departments, that these servile agents barter away the nation's natural resources, nullify the acts of Congress by judicial veto and administrative favor, invade the people's rights by unlawful arrests and unconstitutional searches and seizures, direct our foreign policy in the interests of predatory wealth and

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Lovie Long—Ruth Hayne.

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Wanta Man—Marguerite Franks.

Arabella Antique—Mrs. Geo. Peyton.

Sophia Sweetgun—Marie Patton.

Piney Melting Heart—Lucile Priddy.

Ever Ready—Bess Allen.

Tillie Comes—Eva Merrit.

Samantha Lovings—Mrs. Z. Rochelle.

Lillie Lonesome—Cora Olphant.

Mrs. Henpeck—Mrs. W. Hayter.

Board, stated this afternoon that he hoped every member will be present at 8:00 o'clock.

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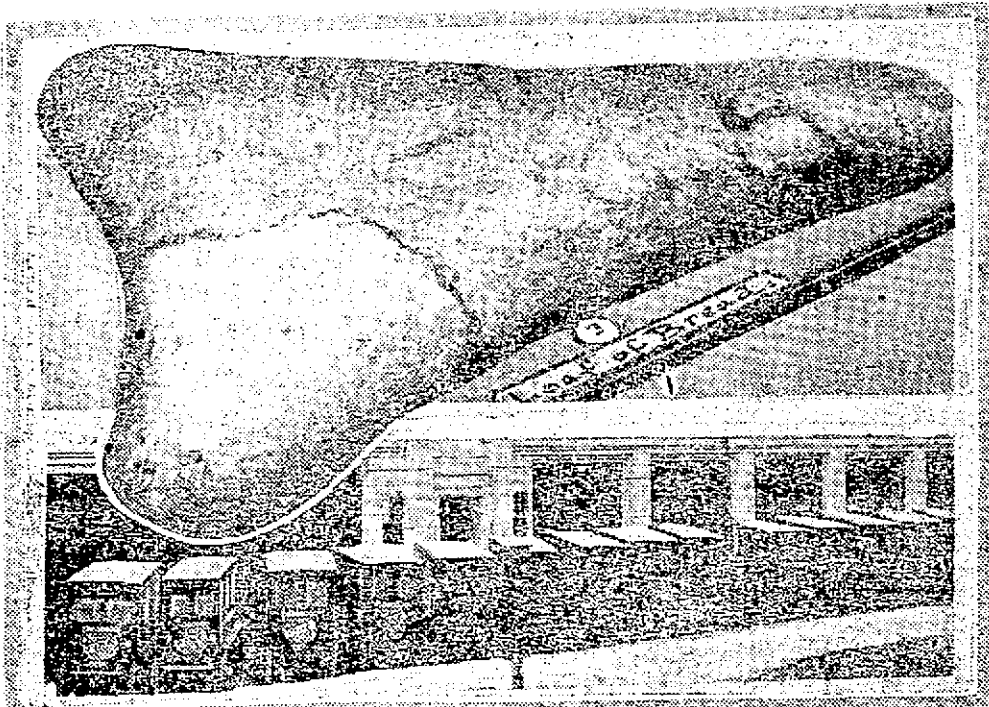


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The modern loaf of bread stands a small chance of reaching antiquity, according to William B. Ward, the great baker. The life of the modern loaf of bread is only 24 hours, since those which are not sold are called for by the baking company. So future generations will not be able to judge, for unsold loaves.